

## BELL 'PHONE IN FIGHT OVER LAW

Insists that 1911 Physical  
Connection Law Is  
Unconstitu-  
tional

### JANESVILLE MAN COMPLAINS

Petitions that Local Line  
Be Connected with Lines  
of Wisconsin Tele-  
phone Company

MADISON, Wis., April 29.—That the Wisconsin Telephone company regards as unconstitutional the 1911 Wisconsin law requiring physical connection of two telephone companies when a patron demands a connection with another line, is the stand taken by the Wisconsin company in its answer to a complaint filed with the state railroad commission by E. D. McGowan of Janesville. McGowan petitioned the commission for an order directing physical connection be made between the Rock County Telephone company and the Wisconsin Telephone company. The commission will hear the arguments sometime in June.

### Call Law Illegal

In protesting against the investigation demanded in McGowan's petition, the Wisconsin Telephone company, by Miller, Mack & Fairchild, its attorneys, contends that McGowan has no authority to present such a petition and that the physical connection law conflicts with both the state and federal constitutions in that the order asked for would deny equal protection of the laws and the right of trial by jury, and would deprive it of property without due process of law and without just compensation. The answer sets forth that the Wisconsin Telephone company's lines are operated in conjunction with the American Telephone and Telegraph company, engaged in interstate commerce, and that an order requiring physical connection with the Rock county lines will interfere with and disturb interstate commerce.

The answer also denies that the state railroad commission has jurisdiction.

### No Lack of Convenience

The company denies that the petitioner, McGowan, is unable readily and conveniently to use the toll lines of the Bell company at Janesville because of the lack of physical connection between the two telephone systems. It admits that it has refused to grant demands for such connection and that it has not made any arrangements therefor. It says that public convenience and necessity do not require it, that it cannot be readily made and would to the owners, in irreparable and substantial detriment to the service furnished by both companies. Such connection, it adds, would not greatly extend the use of the telephone systems or be of great advantage either to the community or subscribers, but that it would result in great advantage to the Rock County Telephone company at serious cost and detriment to the Wisconsin Telephone company.

## WEATHER

Temperature for La Crosse during past 24 hours:  
High, 66.  
Low, 36.  
Precipitation, 0.  
Forecast for La Crosse and vicinity: Fair tonight and Wednesday; rising temperature.  
Wisconsin: Fair tonight and Wednesday; rising temperature; probably light frost tonight east portion.  
Minnesota: Fair south; probably showers north portion tonight or Wednesday; warmer southeast portion tonight and Wednesday.  
Iowa: Fair tonight and Wednesday; warmer tonight and east portion Wednesday.  
Weather Conditions  
An extensive area of low pressure covers the Rocky mountain region and northern Plain States causing light precipitation in Montana. The low pressure area over the Atlantic states yesterday morning still remains over that section, central over the middle Atlantic states. Most stations along the Atlantic coast from Maine to Florida report precipitation this morning.  
The pressure is still high over the lake region. The temperature has risen somewhat in this section. With the exception of light rains in Oregon and light snow in Montana, the weather has been generally fair from the Mississippi valley to the Pacific coast. It is showing this morning at Havre and Helena, Mont., and raining at Portland, Ore.  
The weather in this section will be fair tonight and Wednesday with rising temperature.

River	Flood	24-Hr. Stage Height Change
St. Paul	14	4.1
Red Wing	14	5.5
La Crosse	12	6.4
Pr. du Chien	18	8.5
St. Louis	30	18.6

## HULL MARKET BILL ORDERED ENGROSSED

Speaker Predicts Saving of  
25 Per Cent in Event  
Measure Becomes  
a Law

### PASS THE MUNICIPAL BANK BILL

Measure to Let Superior  
and Milwaukee Have  
Own Banks Is Put  
Through

MADISON, Wis., April 29.—A saving of 25 per cent in the cost of market products is predicted by Speaker Hull in the event his direct marketing bill, which was ordered engrossed in the assembly last night, becomes law. No opposition arose when the bill came up for engrossment. By its provisions the names of consumers in the cities are to be filed with the state industrial commission, by whom they are sent to producers in the rural districts, direct marketing thus being established, and middlemen eliminated. The sum of \$2,000 is appropriated to enable the industrial commission to carry out the provisions of the act.

### Vetoes Boshard Bill

Governor McGowan vetoed Senator Boshard's bill authorizing any duly incorporated cemetery association to acquire ground by condemnation.

The Rosa joint guardianship bill, which caused one of the stiffest fights in the assembly several weeks ago, and was reported into the senate by its judiciary committee for non-concurrence, was put over until May 8. Under the spell of oratory by Don C. Hall, the actor-legislator, the assembly killed the bill empowering the industrial commission to censor and regulate moving picture shows.

A municipal national bank for cities of the first and second classes (Milwaukee and Superior only) is the end sought in a bill by Assemblyman Hinkel of Milwaukee, which was engrossed and then passed under suspension of the rules. The senate refused to concur in the Frederick bill memorializing congress to negotiate an arbitration treaty with Great Britain; in the Sawyer bill making sixteen the maximum age at which persons may be committed to the industrial school; and in the McComb bill relating to prosecutions and punishment for embezzlement and larceny.

### Revire Gannon Bill

Senator Boshard moved to reconsider the vote by which the senate indefinitely postponed the Gannon bill providing for a vice-mayor in commission-governed cities, and the bill was re-referred to the committee on state affairs. The assembly concurred in a separate amendment to the Everett bill providing that the statute relating to property exempt from execution shall apply to persons contributing regularly to the support of dependents in a foreign country, and the bill now goes to the governor. Similar action was taken with the Holmes bill providing that foreign corporations shall file articles of incorporation with the secretary of state if they desire to hold real estate in Wisconsin, and with the Peavay bill creating the town of Kelly in Bayfield county. Both now go to the governor.

Without objection being offered, the assembly engrossed the Hedding bill extending the terms of office of certain Milwaukee county circuit judges.

### The following bills were ordered engrossed:

#### Bills Engrossed

Vint.—Providing for the recall of members of any commission or board.  
Whiteside.—Appointing a special committee to investigate the state forest reserve and prohibiting further purchases of forest reserve lands until July 1, 1913.  
Jensen.—Providing that fines paid for violating game laws shall go to the counties where imposed.  
August.—Clarifying the barber's examining board law and providing a fee of \$2 a year for master barbers and \$1 for journeymen.  
Minkley.—authorizing cities of the first class to bid upon public works.  
Hinkel.—Authorizing the city of Milwaukee to ratify and validate obligations before attempted to be incurred for child welfare supervisors.  
Knee.—Making adoption of the Dunn pocket ballot optional with election units.  
Axel Johnson.—Providing for placing party tickets on ballot at primary elections.  
Nye.—Permitting printing for state institutions to be done in the city where located.  
Estabrook.—Requiring county board's consent for purchase of park lands in Milwaukee county.  
Ringle.—Increasing jurisdiction of Marathon county municipal court.  
State affairs committee.—Adding another clerk to adjutant general's office.  
The following bills were killed:  
Everett.—Requiring delegates to national party conventions to abide by pre-election pledges and making the state stand the expense of sending them to such conventions.  
Hinkel.—For state censorship of moving pictures through a commission.  
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## ACTION BEGINS ON UNDERWOOD BILL

Cut Out Debate and Get  
Down to Business on  
the Tariff Measure

### THE REPUBLICANS ARE HOPELESS

Go Through Motions of  
Fighting but Know that  
Democrats Are in  
the Saddle

WASHINGTON, April 29.—Deeds instead of words—legislative action in the place of "General debate"—was the tariff program in the house today. The bill was called up for consideration and amendment. The second reading was begun.

Underwood declared today that he contemplated no "gag" rule to choke off debate or to block proposed amendments. He said he would try out a policy of permitting the debate, limited to five minutes to each member on each paragraph to "run open." He intimated, however, that if dilatory tactics were adopted by the minority he would be forced to adopt some method to expedite passage of the administration measure.

Minority members frankly admitted today that in attempting to amend the bill they were merely "going through the motions." Underwood had to prevent amendment a resolution adopted by the democratic caucus, pledging all but a dozen democrats to defeat any amendment except such as may be proposed by the ways and means committee.

The opening tariff battle was scheduled on the first paragraph, making the measure effective on the day following its approval by President Wilson. Numerous amendments were proposed to this paragraph. The republicans proposed to postpone operation of the new tariff for months, upon the contention that business should have time to prepare itself for the drastic changes.

The fate of the Wilson-Underwood bill will hinge on a conference arranged today by President Wilson. Thursday morning the president will meet in his office all of the southern and western senators, opposing the wool and sugar provisions of the bill.

At that time the objections which have been raised will be presented to the president by the senators. Notice was served on the republicans of the house today that the democrats propose to dictate tariff revision and stand responsible for the results.

Majority Leader Underwood announced this ultimatum to the minority when the house began consideration of the Wilson-Underwood bill paragraph by paragraph. "It is our business, we are responsible," said Underwood. "We do not propose to let you (the republicans) write this bill."

Underwood also explained for the first time that duties on raw manufacturing materials had either been left in the administration bill as in the present law, or raised because manufacturers are to be additionally taxed by the income tax.

## NAME JURORS FOR MAY COURT TERM

Jury Commission Meets  
This Morning and Com-  
piles Venire for Ses-  
sion Starting May 12

The venire of jurors for the May term of circuit court was announced this morning by the jury commission after working all of the forenoon compiling the list. The jury commission consists of William Smith, Bangor; Frank Coburn, West Salem; and John Ulrich, La Crosse. The May term of court will open May 12.

### Following is the list of jurors chosen by the commission:

C. J. Wachs, Jule Freas, John Mulder, William Funke, A. J. Noss, Geo. Zelsler, James F. Dockendorf, Hans Dally, Holland; Henry Drecktrah, West Salem; Albert Funk, Herman Bern, Jr., C. T. Close, S. L. Moister, Frank Keil, Campbell; Carl Fischer, Farmington, P. J. Schneider, P. J. Sjolander, Holland; Herman Kuehn, West Salem; William Boyle, Charles Schwartz, Paul Lutz, Jr., F. E. Willey, George Ambourn, Farmington; Herman Miller, Paul Pampelin, J. A. Paulson, J. A. Westals, Onalaska; Fred Both, Martia Mengli, Burns; Ed. Stuckler, William Hurling, Albert Bishoff, Farmington; W. Danton, John Hundt, Washington, August Lantz and Peter Newberg.

### SHOOT PROBATE JUDGE

UPPER SANDUSKY, Ohio, April 29.—Probate Judge W. C. Rawland was shot twice and seriously wounded today by W. C. Brodman, farmer, who immediately surrendered to a deputy sheriff. The shooting occurred on one of the principal streets, half a block from the court house. A law suit ten years ago is said to have been the cause.

## MARTIN ACCEPTS COMMISSION JOB

President of Martin Brothers Company Appointed  
to Succeed G. M.  
Woodward

### WELL KNOWN BUSINESS MAN

Promises to Give New Duties His Undivided Attention; Sisson Declines

L. H. Martin, president of the Martin Brothers company, Second and Main streets, was appointed fire and police commissioner by Mayor Ori J. Sorensen today to fill the vacancy



caused by the expiration of the term of office of G. M. Woodward. Mr. Woodward has been a member of the fire and police commission since 1901 when he was appointed by Mayor Joseph Boschert to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Joseph Losey. Mr. Woodward declined to serve another term on the commission.

Mayor Sorensen announced today that the office was tendered Mr. Martin without his solicitation and was accepted. Mr. Martin is a well and favorably known business man of the city, being interested in the Onalaska Woolen Mills, the State Bank of La Crosse and several other enterprises. He has been a resident of La Crosse for ten years coming here from Winona. When he came to this city he was a traveling salesman employed by a Dubuque clothing manufacturing house. He and a brother purchased the Mons Anderson clothing business and he has been engaged in active management of the company since that time.

Mr. Martin has never held public office before but he announced today that he will give the duties of his new office his undivided attention and will endeavor to serve the city to the best of his ability.

The office of fire and police commissioner was offered to Frank Sisson by Mayor Sorensen last week but Mr. Sisson declined to serve because of business reasons.

### SENTENCE LAND SWINDLERS

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., April 29.—The five officers of the International Lumber and Development company, who were found guilty by a jury recently in the federal court of using the mails to defraud, were today sentenced by United States District Judge Wilmer. The five men were convicted after a long trial of being the principal factors in the organization and promotion of a corporation which collected \$6,000,000 for the alleged purpose of developing Mexican lands.

### CONDUCTOR BLAMED

WASHINGTON, April 29.—Responsibility for the rear end collision on the Vandalia railroad at Terre Haute, Ind., on January 8 was laid today on conductor Smith in a report by Chief Inspector Belknap to the interstate commission. Five persons were killed in the wreck.

### MINE STRIKERS AT WORK

CHARLESTON, W. Va., April 29.—That peace has been restored to the Paint and Cabin Creek coal mining districts where for a year turbulent scenes were enacted between striking miners, mine guards and militia, became certain today. The majority of the strikers had returned to work today.

### HENRATTY FUNERAL

The funeral of James C. Henratty, 207 Main street, will be held at 8 o'clock tomorrow morning from the Catholic cathedral. Rev. G. Sluyter officiating. Burial will be made in Oak Grove cemetery, under the auspices of the local Eagle lodge.

### CONFESSES ARSON

MADISON, Wis., April 29.—Eberhart Keller, a harnessmaker, was taken to Waupun today to begin serving a four year sentence following his confession that he fired the store of R. H. Hansen, his competitor, at De Forest, this county.

## BRYAN FAILS TO ALTER DECISION

California Solons Are Un-  
moved by Speech of  
the Secretary of  
State

### WILL PASS ALIEN LAND LAW

Believed Sure Commoner  
Will Fail in His Mis-  
sion to Pacific  
Coast

SACRAMENTO, Cal., April 29.—There are many indications that Secretary of State W. J. Bryan will fail in the mission on which he was sent here by President Wilson.

Leaders of the California senate and assembly today declared that, so far, there had been no development which would cause them to change their earlier opinions regarding the necessity of passing anti-alien land owning bill. While Bryan may succeed in amending the wording of the pending bill, its intent to exclude the Japanese will probably remain unchanged.

Talk in Vain.  
Senator Newton Thompson, progressive leader and author of a drastic bill proposed as a substitute for the pending measure, said today: "Nothing Secretary Bryan has said changed the situation in my view, or in the view of other members of the legislature with whom I have talked. I believe the exclusion bill will be passed."

Assemblyman L. D. Bohnett, progressive leader of the lower house, took the same view.

### Wilson Frames Answer

WASHINGTON, April 29.—From 7 until 10 o'clock this morning, President Wilson and John Bassett Moore, counselor of the state department, who is acting secretary of state, conferred over the California Japanese situation. Two lengthy telegrams had been received during the night from Secretary of State Bryan at Sacramento, setting forth in great detail the exact situation as he had found it, and these were considered by the president and acting Secretary Moore. The latter is an expert on international law and he advised the president in framing the answer which was sent by telegraph to Bryan.

The contents of his telegram were withheld by the president. It is understood that it answered every objection which was raised by the California legislators in their conference with the secretary of state yesterday. The telegram also explained just what will be a violation of the existing treaty with Japan.

### OPERATE ON DUCHESS

LONDON, April 29.—A second abdominal operation was performed today on the Duchess of Connaught and her condition occasioned the gravest alarm to the royal family.

### DYNAMITE CHECKS FIRE

GRETNNA, Man., April 29.—Fire entailing a loss of \$300,000 was checked here early today by dynamite, after the business section had been wiped out.

## WILL NOT CONFLICT WITH STATE LAWS

Federal Income Tax and  
State Income Taxes to  
Be in Har-  
mony

WASHINGTON, April 29.—Adoption by Colorado of a state income tax and income tax laws of several other states will not conflict with the federal statute proposed in the Wilson-Underwood bill. This was the opinion expressed today by Representative Hull of Tennessee who drew the provision in the pending tariff bill.

"All of the states are at liberty to adopt income tax laws without interfering with the federal law," said Hull. "Several already have such laws. They might be construed with the federal law as 'double taxation,' but it is not a question of double taxation. The legal question is whether the taxes are just or not."

"The government has a liquor tax law—the internal revenue statute. The states also have liquor revenue laws, up and down the line, such as excise taxes, state and county and city retail and wholesale licenses, all of which do not conflict with the federal law."

Hull said that states which now have or have had income laws include Wisconsin, North Carolina, West Virginia, Massachusetts and Oklahoma.

### 96 MINE DEATH TOLL

MONONGAHELA, Pa., April 29.—Although county and state officials investigating the Cincinnati mine disaster state all dead bodies have been recovered from the mine, survivors today claimed several are yet in the mine. The removal of one more body today brought the total of deaths to 96.

## BOYCOTT STORY ROUSES FURSTMAN

Health Commissioner De-  
clines that He Is "Perni-  
ciously Active" Against  
Milk Dealers

### DEALERS SIGN AGREEMENTS

Says Majority of Dairymen  
Co-operate with Depart-  
ment in the Crusade  
Against Disease

Vigorous denial that he is "perniciously active" against the milk dealers of the county was made by Dr. J. M. Furstman, health commissioner of La Crosse, in answer to a complaint said to have been made by a prominent dairymen of French Island, yesterday. Dr. Furstman's ire was aroused by a story that reached his ears to the effect that the milk dealers of the county were quietly organizing and planning to boycott the city because of his "pernicious activity."

"In the first place, I want to announce," said Dr. Furstman, "that the health department has never assumed an arbitrary attitude toward any milk dealer and we have asked nothing from them that we have not had the right to ask. In every case we have been as lenient as is possible and safeguard the public health. We have given every milk dealer in the county ample time to clean up and in nearly every instance we have secured the promise that where necessary the cleanup would follow immediately."

### Sign Agreement

"When a milkman applies for a license to sell milk and cream in the city of La Crosse he is required to sign an agreement to obey the state law and city ordinances and to submit to the regulation of the health department. If he fails to carry out his agreement his license may be forfeited by his own agreement. Every milkman signing this agreement."

Dr. Furstman scouted the possibility of a boycott against the city asserting that the milkmen selling milk in La Crosse are getting a better price for their product, than almost any city or town in the state. "They retail milk at seven cents a quart," he said, "and if they sell it to the creameries they will get about twelve cents a gallon. They will think this over before declaring war against the city. Besides the supply of milk is much larger than the retail demand and many of the dealers are using the surplus for feeding purposes."

"I would like to know what they want me to do? Shall I submit to the demand to allow them to keep their barns and cows in insanitary condition, or shall I try to conserve the health and lives of the children of this city? I consider the life of one baby worth more than the profit on all the milk sold in the county."

### Co-operate With Department

Dr. Furstman hastened to add that a majority of the dairymen of the county operate clean dairies and do everything in their power to aid the department in its work. "I have found but very few kickers," he said. "In nearly every instance they have been more than willing to help us. They realize that the benefit is just as much for them as the consumer. I do not believe the proposed boycott would find much support among the milk dealers."

The following agreement signed by dairymen selling milk or cream in the city was given out by Dr. Furstman together with the statement that it is his belief that the citizens of this city expect him to see that it is carried out:

Application of ..... for a certificate to sell milk and cream in the city of La Crosse.

I hereby make application for a license to sell milk and cream in the city of La Crosse, subject to the ordinance or ordinances of the city of La Crosse and subject to such rules and regulations as may be prescribed.

I agree to observe strictly the provisions of any ordinance or ordinances of the said city relating to the sale of milk and cream, and particularly as follows:

I agree to sell milk from tuberculin tested cattle only.  
I agree that my cows shall be milked in the cleanest possible manner and that their flanks and udders shall be washed before milking.

I agree to remove the milk from stables immediately after milking for the purpose of straining and cooling. I agree to so arrange my stables that they may be well lighted, ventilated and drained and the floors kept clean, allowing no manure to accumulate thereon or be piled up against the stables on the outside.

I agree to notify the health officer in case of any contagion in my household.

I have read the above rules and agree to the provisions thereof and also agree that my certificate for the sale of milk and cream may be revoked by the health officer at any time for non-compliance with the same.

Name of applicant and residence .....  
Location of dairy in which applicant obtains his milk .....  
Number of cows in dairy from which .....  
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## MONTENEGRO AND AUSTRIA OPENLY ARE BELLIGERENT

Dual Monarchy Announces  
Intention of Forcing  
Evacuation of  
Scutari

### DANILO ISSUES SWEEPING DEFIANCE

Crown Prince of the Little  
Kingdom Threatens to  
Shell Town in Austria  
if Attacked

### RUSSIA DARK HORSE IN AFFAIR

May Embroil All Europe in  
Fuss; Czar Supposed to  
Be Egging on King  
Nicholas

VIENNA, April 29.—Following a two-hour conference with Emperor Francis Joseph tonight, Count Von Berchtold, Austria-Hungarian foreign minister stated semi-officially that Austria-Hungary would deliver a twenty-four hour ultimatum to Montenegro early tomorrow morning. King Nicholas will be commanded to remove his troops from Scutari and give up within one day. If the Montenegrins have not evacuated by Thursday morning, Austria-Hungary will immediately begin moving troops across the frontier and formally declare a state of war between the dual monarchy and the littlest kingdom.

LONDON, April 29.—At the urgent request of Sir Edward Grey, British secretary of state for foreign affairs, the ambassadors assembled hurriedly at the foreign office this afternoon after having adjourned until Thursday. Their unscheduled meeting was caused by Austria-Hungary's formal announcement today that she would proceed singly against Montenegro and force that nation to obey the will of the powers and give up Scutari.

It was said that Italy has made a strong protest in Vienna against Austria-Hungary acting alone against King Nicholas, and that the Italian foreign office was making a strong effort to persuade Montenegro to give up Scutari peacefully.

BERLIN, April 29.—The National Gazette, in an evidently inspired editorial this afternoon urges Austria-Hungary to march simultaneously upon Belgrade and Scutari. From a semi-official source it was learned that Germany approves the course taken by Austria-Hungary and the kaiser does not believe that Russia will interfere.

LONDON, April 29.—Austria-Hungary, unwilling to wait further for the powers to act, today formally announced immediate independent action against Montenegro to force the evacuation of Scutari, according to a dispatch this afternoon to the Daily Mail, from its Vienna correspondent.

### Gravity Is Admitted

VIENNA, April 29.—No effort was made today to disguise the gravity of the war situation. Shares dropped several points on the bourse and there was little or no trading. The aged emperor, Francis Joseph, was in almost constant consultation with his ministers, with generals and with the Grand Duke Franz Ferdinand, heir to the dual throne. Soldiers were moving everywhere throughout the monarchy and business is sadly crippled.

The optimists still hope that Austria-Hungary will not get into actual conflict with Montenegro, but the emperor, who always has stood for peace, now says that war seems likely and asserts that Europe has forced war upon him. That the government is making preparations for real war cannot be doubted, and the movements of the Montenegrins give no backing to the hope that they will peacefully evacuate Scutari.

### Daniilo Defiant

Reports from the Balkans are most alarming. When Crown Prince Daniilo and his men marched out of Scutari, it was thought by some this indicated that King Nicholas was getting ready to submit to the powers, but today it was apparent that troops were marching to the heights surrounding Cetinje. They will soon be within striking distance of Antivari, where the Austrians will land, if they decide to invade Montenegro. The troops also will be in a position to bombard Cattaro, an Austrian city and dispatches said that King Nicholas declared he would bombard the town immediately if Austria-Hungarian troops set foot on the soil of his country.

While the Viennese "jingo's" have no doubt of their country's ability easily to vanquish Montenegro, there is grave uneasiness because of the likelihood that the conflict almost in-

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## DENIES BOARD THE RIGHT TO FIX FARE

Milwaukee Street Car Company Fights Power of the Railroad Commission in Supreme Court

MADISON, Wis., April 20.—(Special.)—Before the supreme court today the Milwaukee Electric Railway and Light company by its attorneys challenged the power of the state to regulate its rates of fare. The attorney general's office denied that the question presented in this case is one of vast public importance, involving as it does a consideration of the alleged contractual relations of street car companies and the cities they serve.

The state was represented before the court by Deputy Attorney General Walter Drew, and the company by Miller, Mack & Fairchild of Milwaukee and Sullivan & Cromwell of New York.

Under its franchise ordinance the company has been giving six tickets for 25 cents. The state railroad commission, acting under a law of 1905 and amendments, ordered it to reduce the rates by giving thirteen tickets for 50 cents, after making an exhaustive investigation into the reasonableness of the out. The company told the court today that its franchise ordinance is irrevocable and irrevocable, that the ordinance provisions with respect to rates of fare constitute contracts, “inviolable as against legislative impairment under provisions of state and federal constitutions, fixing the rates of fare which the company may lawfully charge.” It therefore denied that either the commission or the state has authority to step in and order reduced fares. Such action, it is said, would amount to a taking of property contrary to the constitutional rules.

## GOLD RUSH ENDS

SEATTLE, Wash., April 20.—Disappointed prospectors are returning from the Lake Eslin district, to which a stampede was started two months ago by a report of a rich gold strike. The returning prospectors did not find any gold.

## The Real Secret of Rejuvenating the Face

(From The Clubwoman.)  
She holds the true secret of facial rejuvenation who has learned how to remove the dead skin particles as fast as they appear. It's a secret anyone may possess. The aged, faded or discolored surface skin may be gradually absorbed, in an entirely safe and rational manner, by the nightly application of ordinary mercurized wax. Within a week or two the underlying skin, youthful and beautiful to behold, has taken the place of the discarded cuticle. So little of the old skin is absorbed each day there's no inconvenience at all, and no one suspects you are putting anything on your face. The mercurized wax, procurable at any drug store (an ounce is sufficient), is supplied like cold cream. In the morning it is erased with soap and water. It's the best thing known for freckles, blackheads, pimples, moth patches, liver spots and fine surface wrinkles.

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## JUNE 12 TO BE GRADUATION DAY

High School Class to Give Own Program at Opera House; Faville to Preach

The high school graduation night has been set definitely on Thursday, June 12. The exercises will be held in the opera house and will be given entirely by the members of the class. The junior “prom” will be held the following night in the new Hixon annex gymnasium.

Rev. Henry Faville has been chosen to deliver the baccalaureate address which will be given in the high school auditorium the Sunday preceding graduation night. This is the first time that the address has ever been delivered in the high school building.

Mr. F. P. Hixon, who has given the annex to the high school will give a reception to the high school students in the new building some time in the near future. Many of the students have been waiting for a chance to meet Mr. Hixon and show him how they appreciate his generosity.

## DAVIES PROTEGEE BEATS KONOP MAN

APPLETON, Wis., April 20.—Indications are that Joseph E. Davies has beaten out Congressman T. J. Konop in naming the Appleton postmaster. Upon his return from Madison, where he was in conference with Davies, D. J. Boyle, Davies's choice, sold his laundry today. Konop has been backing Gustave Keller, chairman of the county committee and national treasurer of the Catholic Order of Foresters. All Boyle would give out is that the appointment rests with the postmaster general, but it is believed he was assured of the office while at Madison. Boyle is a member of the state central committee.

## Pale Children

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## UNKNOWN MAN IS DROWNED IN RIVER

MILWAUKEE, Wis., April 20.—An unknown man fell into the Milwaukee river at the foot of Johnson street shortly before 1 o'clock this morning and drowned.

Passers-by heard his cries and tele-

phoned to the police. Before the officers were able to reach the scene the man had disappeared. Officer Barrett dragged the river with grappling hooks and brought the body to the surface. At the Emergency hospital physicians worked upon the body with a pulmotor for half an hour without success.

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## Daddy's Bedtime Story — The Man Who Carried the First Umbrella.



Saw Umbrellas In the East.

JACK had lost an umbrella. It was the third umbrella Jack had lost since Christmas.

“Well, it was only an old thing, anyway,” Jack was telling daddy. “Oh, of course, it was an old one!” spoke up Evelyn. “How can you expect mother to buy you a new one every time you lose yours?”

“Jack ought to live in China or Japan, where the umbrellas are made of paper,” said daddy.

“I should think the rain would come through the paper,” said Jack in surprise.

“Yes, you might think so,” continued daddy, “if you did not know that these umbrellas are made waterproof. They do quite as well as ours and cost a great deal less. Besides, they are very much handsomer, for the paper is made of every color, and all sorts of gay patterns are printed on the paper. Fine ladies carry very handsome umbrellas.”

“It was in China and the east that Mr. Jonas Hanway first saw people going about in the rain carrying umbrellas over their heads.”

“He thought it such a fine idea that when he got home to England he had a cloth umbrella made for himself. This was about 163 years ago.”

“One rainy day after he got his umbrella Mr. Hanway raised it and started out on the streets, holding it over his head. Such a sight had never before been seen in London, and soon he had a crowd of street urchins following him and hooting at his umbrella.”

“Indeed, I'm afraid some of these naughty boys did not stop with ridiculing the good gentleman. They even threw things at him and his umbrella.”

“And as he went along the street even grown folks stopped to stare. People who did not understand smiled, and some even went so far as to say that Mr. Hanway must be crazy and ought to be locked up.”

“But some folks—sensible people—noticed how cozily Mr. Hanway stepped along under his big umbrella, while they were drenched with rain.”

“No doubt they wished that they also had umbrellas. At any rate, the fun that was poked at Mr. Hanway did not keep other people from getting umbrellas and going about comfortably under them, and so the fashion spread. Now no one goes out in the rain without an umbrella.”

“I want to tell you that the handsomest umbrella in the world is owned by the king of Siam, and if he should lose that I'm afraid it would be more of a loss than the three our Jack lost. This umbrella is made of grey silk set with precious stones, embroidered with silver flowers and lined with white satin.”

## NOBODY CAN TELL IF YOU DARKEN GRAY, FADED HAIR WITH SAGE TEA

Druggist Says When Mixed With Sulphur Prevents Dandruff and Falling Hair

Common garden sage brewed into a heavy tea with sulphur and alcohol added, then left to age and carefully filtered will turn gray, streaked and faded their beautifully dark and luxuriant; remove every bit of dandruff, stop scalp itching, and falling hair.

Just a few applications will prove a revelation if your hair is fading, gray or dry, scraggly and thin. Mixing the Sage Tea and Sulphur recipe at home, though, is troublesome. An easier way is to get the ready-to-use tonic, costing about 50 cents a large bottle at drug stores, known as “Wy-

eth's Sage and Sulphur Hair Remedy,” thus avoiding a lot of fuss. Some druggists make their own, but it isn't nearly so nice as “Wyeth's.”

While wispy, gray, faded hair is not sinful, we all desire to retain our youthful appearance and attractiveness. By darkening your hair with Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur no one can tell, because it does it so naturally; so evenly. You just dampen a sponge or soft brush and draw it through your hair, taking one small strand at a time. Do this tonight and by morning all gray hairs have disappeared, after another application or two it will be restored to its natural color and be even more glossy, soft and luxuriant than ever.

Local druggists say they are selling lots of “Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur.” It surely helps folks appear years younger. O. T. Erhart, agent.

## DENIES Y. W. C. A. TOO HIGH-PRICED

MILWAUKEE, Wis., April 20.—Denial that Y. W. C. A. rates are prohibitive and that proper attention is not given to lone girls in great cities was made today by Miss Lucia Bracer, general secretary of the Y. W. C. A., commenting on a

criticism of the association made by Miss Virginia Brooks, West. Hammond reformer, in a serial article in a Chicago newspaper.

“It is true,” said Miss Bracer, “that we have rooms for transient guests costing from \$1.50 to \$2 a day, but it is also true that we have rooms as low as fifty cents, and if a penniless girl needs a room she gets it for nothing.”

## Museum of Daily Facts and Freaks

### Needle Takes Year to Kill

NEW YORK, April 20.—Examination into the cause of the death of a two-year-old baby at Presbyterian hospital showed that a needle the child swallowed a year ago had worked through the tissues and pierced the heart.

### Piano Burglar Alarm

MONTICELLO, N. Y.—An electric piano acted as a burglar alarm in Alex Frank's house when a burglar accidentally pushed the button in the wall and started “Everybody's Doin' It” at 3 a. m.

### New Cop's Aim Poor

BOSON.—Charles H. Bagnall, a chef, owes his life to the poor marksmanship of Officer Swanton, a “rookie,” who mistook Bagnall for a burglar when he descended the fire escape of his own home.

### Ministers Gym Converts

PITTSBURG, Pa.—When an evangelist came to town preaching the gospel of health, thirty-six ministers fell for it, forming a gym class and expecting to learn to put more punch into their sermons.

### Fifty Dollars Chief's Fine

PITTSBURG, Pa.—“Buck” Wallace, former chief of police, got off with a fifty dollar fine for conducting a gambling house. Authorities “higher up” have started a graft investigation.

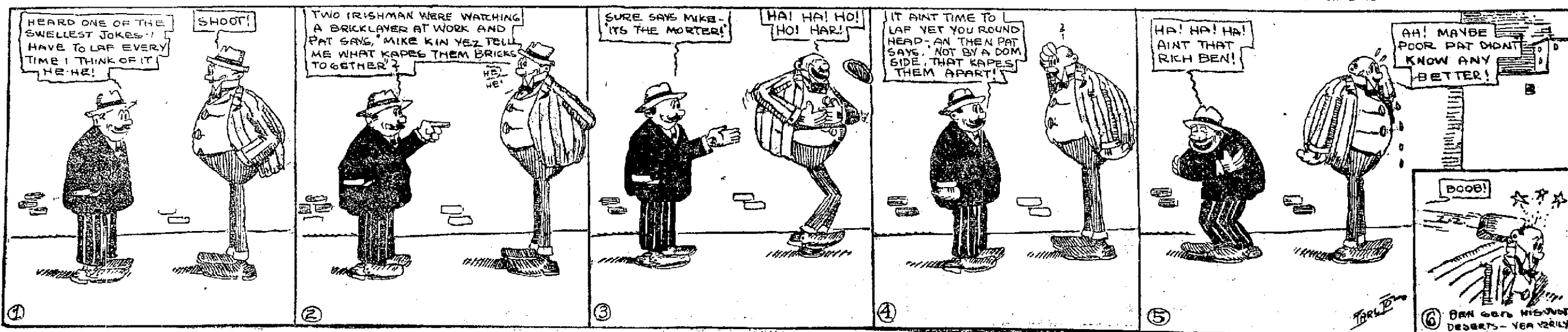
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**MARCH 7,543**  
Daily Average

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2-Sun.	7532	18-Tues.	7542
3-Mon.	7534	19-Wed.	7542
4-Tues.	7534	20-Thurs.	7545
5-Wed.	7537	21-Fri.	7545
6-Thurs.	7536	22-Sat.	7547
7-Fri.	7539	23-Sun.	7545
8-Sat.	7541	24-Mon.	7543
9-Sun.	7541	25-Tues.	7542
10-Mon.	7538	26-Wed.	7547
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12-Wed.	7540	28-Fri.	7553
13-Thurs.	7542	29-Sat.	7553
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Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1st day of April, 1913.

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Notary Public.

## PROPOSES NATIONAL INHERITANCE TAX

The United States is trying to catch up to Wisconsin. Following up the income tax bill proposed by the democrats, Senator Wesley L. Jones of Washington has offered in the senate a bill to tax inheritances.

Senator Jones' bill provides for a graduate inheritance tax on all estates save that bequests to the immediate family of the testator are to be exempt to the amount of \$25,000 and are to have the benefit of a lower rate. Senator Jones' schedule of rates provides for a tax of one per cent for estates under \$5,000, two per cent from \$5,000 to \$50,000, five per cent from \$50,000 to \$250,000, 10 per cent from \$250,000, and so on up to the assessment of 40 per cent on estates from \$7,000,000 to \$15,000,000 and 50 per cent on estates in excess of the latter amount.

Senator Jones' theory is identical with the idea which has been pursued in the proposed exemption from tax of all incomes under \$4,000; namely, that the moderately well-to-do and the wealthy are able to pay and therefore they should be made to pay an additional share of the cost

of government. It is a theory which has been put into practice in Canada in regard to the inheritance tax and used to a certain extent in Great Britain and European nations in the income tax, although the exemption in the countries across the seas applies to incomes very much below the amount of \$4,000 which is proposed for this country.

One feature of the Jones proposal may strike a popular chord; it would be a potent factor in the prevention of the continuation and growth of large fortunes such as are held by the Astor estate, J. P. Morgan, Rockefeller and others of the type. Many thinking people regard the perpetuation of these tremendous incomes with the added increment which will come with years as a real menace. To them the Jones' idea may appeal as a remedy.

## FINE SUMMARY OF NEWS FOR WOMEN

Under the heading, "In The World of Women," The Tribune is publishing daily items of news of peculiar interest to women, each week's aggregate constituting a summary of that class of news. Especially is this news service made a feature in the Church Page each Saturday. The substantial happenings in Woman's realm are treated, and the doings of women who are leaders in thought and action are chronicled. The Tribune selected this service in the belief that it is the most practical to be had in that it enables the busy women to follow the things that concern her sex with a minimum expenditure of time. We believe that any woman who will spend the fifteen minutes a week required to read this feature can keep herself well informed along this line.

## RIGHTLY SPANKED FOR HIS JINGO SPEECH

That not a member of the national house of representatives cheered the speech in which Representative Sisson of Mississippi talked loosely of war with Japan is a fine testimonial to the fitness of the congressman.

Sisson made a speech that was indeed untimely, a cheap jingoism calculated to stir up feeling in Japan, and without the slightest compensation in the way of desirable effect. To say that we must stand upon our rights against Japan is not to tell an untruth, but it is to put a chip on the shoulder of the nation. We are not inviting war. Japan has made no threat against us. That nation has merely protested against state legislation which she deems prejudicial to her interests. That a government official answered Japan's civil objection with loud and belligerent talk of war is a disgrace. The brood of folly has a brilliant member in Mr. Sisson, and should a contest at arms result from the present controversy the innocent bystander may justly regard the Mississippian as a piece of contributory negligence. His associates squelched him, so should the entire American people.

## FRIEDMAN MERCENARY EVEN IF GREAT

Dr. Friedmann has fully established the mercenary character of the propaganda he is employing to place his tuberculosis treatment before the public. He has sold it to a syndicate.

True, the doctor says he has made sure that the treatment shall be given free to the poverty stricken. Further, it must be admitted that in order to bring it swiftly within reach of sufferers in all parts of the nation, the treatment had to be capitalized for the building of institutes and their equipment. But the thing that shows the doctor's hand is the fact that he takes \$125,000 in cash and \$1,800,000 in stock in the syndicate.

Discoverers of vaccination for smallpox and anti-toxin for diphtheria and typhoid were not so exploited by their discoveries, and the scientists who refused to enrich themselves by the discovery of these great treatments will stand out in history in a light much more favorable than that in which Friedmann, should his treatment prove a success, will stand.

Some nations have not yet recognized the new Mexican government. When the rebels get through with it, perhaps nobody will be able to recognize it.

The pet pig of the New York police force has been disposed of. Nothing must be permitted to remain in the department that can squeal.

The telegraph messengers in Omaha are now girls. Can any one see them going by a millinery window with a rush message?

When he gets real anxious to get some fish, the man with the jointed fishrod usually asks advice of the boy with the birch pole.

## Quips and Cranks and Wanton Wiles

**The Trolling Children**  
We never see the big blue sky  
From out some country lane,  
We never watch the clouds sail by  
Above the waving grain.  
We never hear at close of day  
The birds grow quiet in sleep,  
We never run, we never play—  
We only toil and weep.

The dark, cold night has hardly fled

Ere we are set to work,  
With weary fingers, aching head—  
But, ah! we dare not shrink!  
"Work fast! Work fast!" our parents cry.

And, though our tears flow free,  
We choke them back, for if we cry  
Our task we cannot see.

We are so young, the day's so long,  
Yet there's no time to smile,  
Or make believe, or sing a song—  
And, oh, to sleep a while!  
But, no, we do not dare to pause,  
They beat us if we do—  
Oh, tell us, are there, then, no laws  
For little children, too?

We only ask a little play,  
A little youth and zest,  
A little time for fun each day,  
A little sleep and rest,  
We're always hungry, often cold,  
Oh, let us stop, we pray!  
It cannot be that God's been told  
How long we work each day.  
—William Wallace Whitlock, in New York Times.

**Discretion**  
"I say, Tom, lend me another ten, will you?"  
"Heavens! Why don't you go to work and earn money?"  
"Don't dare to, my boy. People would think the governor had disinherited me and that would ruin my credit."—Boston Transcript.

**A Slow-Going Insect**  
On most of the English railways there are regulations which permit patrons, on payment of a stipulated fare, to take with them certain pet animals or birds. A short time ago a maiden lady appeared at one of the country stations, bringing with her a whole menagerie. She had a dog, a cat, a rabbit, a squirrel, a parrot, and a small turtle. The dog and the parrot were allowed transportation under the rules, but, in order that the passenger might take all her pets, the guard proceeded to classify them as follows:

"Cats," said he, "is dogs, rabbits is dogs, squirrels in cages is parrots; but this 'ere tortoise—"  
He stopped and scratched his head, staring at the creature in perplexity. "Finally an idea came to him. 'This 'ere tortoise,' he resumed, "'e is a hinseck, and hinsecks travel free!"—Judge.

**Applied Advice**  
"I want to buy one of those 'Do It Now' cards."  
"Sorry," said the clerk, "but we're out of those cards. We'll have some printed next week."  
"You told me that last week."  
At this point the proprietor came forward.  
"Print some immediately," he ordered, "and tack up about forty of 'em around here."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

**Precocious George**  
"What's the idea, George?" inquired Mr. Washington. "Why do you chop down this cherry tree? Have you anything against cherry trees?"  
"No, sir."  
"Maybe you are in favor of deforestation?"  
"No, sir."  
"Doing this for a moving picture concern?"  
"By no means."  
"Then why chop down a tree?"  
"I just thought of going on the stump," replied the future father of his country, and then Mr. Washington realized that George was a born statesman.—Kansas City Journal.

## Well Tried Matches

A man sent his servant to buy matches, telling him to make sure that he got good ones. On the return of the servant his master said: "Now, John, I hope these matches are better than the last."

"You may be sure of that, master," said John, "for I tried every one of them."

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"Our product has been thoroughly tested before leaving the factory. No man can sell stuff today that has not been tested."

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"That's odd. What do you sell?"  
"Dynamite."—Washington Herald.

**Intelligent Traveling.**  
"What town are we in now?"  
"I'll tell you in a minute. What day is it, Tuesday or Wednesday?"  
"Wednesday."  
"Then it must be Florence."—Fleischgeude Blatter.

**EXECUTOR'S SALE.**  
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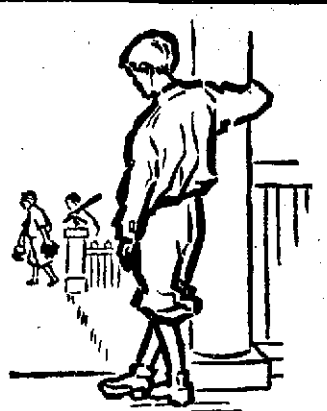
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## "GOING SOME"

When it is a question of restoring the appetite, toning and strengthening the digestive system and keeping the bowels open,

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will prove it is capable of "going some." You really should try a bottle today.



Is this your boy?  
Is he too weak and sickly to join his companions in play, and are you helpless in spite of your utmost efforts to make him well?

What have you done toward building up his blood? Pure, red blood is what he needs most, if he is to become active and strong. It is the lack of it that causes his pallor, listlessness, poor appetite, lack of ambition, sleeplessness and shortness of breath.

Have you given him Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People? They are the remedy every growing boy or girl needs to build up the blood and bring health, strength, a good color, a hearty appetite and strong nerves.

Mrs. John Blake, whose address is R. F. D. No. 2, Verona, N. Y., says: "We had Edward treated by a doctor for several weeks but he became no better. He had scarcely any blood, was thin, weak and badly run down. We felt that something had to be done quickly and turned to Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. They started to build up his blood at once. His color became healthy, he grew stronger and in a few weeks was as well as over."

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People are valuable in all diseases where the blood is in fault, as in chlorosis, rheumatism, after-effects of the grip and fevers, headaches and all run-down conditions.

An instructive booklet, "Building Up the Blood," will be sent free upon request.

Get the pills from your druggist at 50 cents per box, six boxes for \$2.50 or from the

Dr. Williams Medicine Company, Schenectady, N. Y.

## THE FIRESIDE SERMON

By Lucius C. Clark, D. D.

Monday, April twenty-eighth, 1913. Palmer Cox, Born April twenty-eighth, 1840.

Their children also multiplied, though as the stars of the heaven."—Palmer Cox, the Brownie Man, has filled the world of the little folks with children, in number as the stars of heaven. They are much alike whether they are building buildings, or sealing walls or walking streets, or jumping ropes. They are always short and plump, and you want to laugh. You have laughed? Then thank Palmer Cox.

By Lucius C. Clark, D. D.  
Tuesday, April Twenty-ninth, 1793. Matthew Vassar, Born April Twenty-ninth, 1793.

Psalm 144, 12.

"That our daughters may be as cornerstones, polished after the similitude of a palace."  
Institutions of learning that have had women in view have given an increased value in our citizenship. Men have had a long vision who have given of their means and energies to give all the benefits of nobler and more polished womanhood.

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The rubber trust always has a comeback at President Wilson. He rides a bicycle and must buy tires.

## The Just and The Unjust

By Vaughan Kester

The Prodigal Judge

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Her eyes grew wide with terror, and she swayed as if about to fall, but her father put out a sun-burnt hand for her support.

"We must go back," he said, mastering himself at sight of her suffering. "We have missed him here, he's gone home, that is all—it means nothing."

They drove in silence through the streets. Pallid, fearful, and speechless in her suffering, Elizabeth leaned back in her seat. The hope that had sustained her was lost in the realization of defeat. There was nothing beyond: this was failure, complete and final; the very end of effort! Suddenly her father's big hand closed about the small one which rested in her lap.

"You must not give up! I tell you it will be all right!" he insisted.

"He is avoiding us!" she cried chokingly. "Oh, what can we do when he will not even see us!"

"Yes, he will. We have been unfortunate, that is all."

"Wretchedly unfortunate!" she moaned.

They had reached their destination, and this time slowly and uncertainly they ascended the steps. With his hand upon the bell, the general hesitated for an instant: so much was at stake! Then a bell sounded in some distant part of the house, and after a brief interval the door was opened to them.

"I am sorry, sir, but the governor has not returned."

The general thrust a bill into the man's hand, saying:

"The moment he comes in, see that he gets my card."

Again there was delay. General Herbert, consumed by impatience, crossed and recrossed the room. Elizabeth stood by the window, one hand parting the heavy curtain. It was already late afternoon. The day had been wasted, and the hours that remained to them were perilously few. But more than the thought of North's death, the death itself filled her mind with unspeakable imaginings. The power to control her thoughts was lost, and her terrors took her where they would, until North's very death struggles became a blinding horror. Somewhere in the silent house, a door opened and closed.

"At last!" said the general, under his breath.

But it was only the governor's secretary who entered the room. He halted in the doorway and glanced from father to daughter. There was no mistaking the look in his face.

"How much longer are we to be kept in doubt?" asked General Herbert, in a voice that indicated both his dread and his sense of insult.

"The governor deeply regrets that there should have been this delay," began the secretary.

"He is ready to see us now?" General Herbert interrupted.

"What do you regret? Do you mean to tell me that he will not see us?" demanded the general.

"The governor has left town."

The angry color flamed into the old man's cheeks. His sorely tried patience was on the point of giving way, but a cry from the window recalled him.

"Where has he gone?"

"He left for the East at four o'clock," faltered the secretary, after a moment of wretched irresolution.

The general's face became white, as his anger yielded to a more powerful emotion.

"Impossible!" he cried.

"The North matter has been left in my hands," said the secretary haltingly.

"The general's hope revived as he heard this. He stepped to Elizabeth's side and rested his hand protectively on her shoulder.

"You have the governor's decision?" he asked.

"Yes," answered the secretary haltingly.

There was a moment's silence.

"What is it?" The general's voice was strained and unnatural.

"He regrets it, but he does not deem it proper for him to interfere with the decision of the court. He has had the most eminent legal advice in this case."

A choking inarticulate cry from Elizabeth interrupted him.

"My God!" cried her father, as Elizabeth's groping hands clung to him. He felt the shudder that wrenched her slim body.

"Be brave!" he whispered, slipping his arms about her.

"Oh, father—father—" she sobbed.

"We will go home," said the general.

He looked up from the bowed head that rested against his shoulder, expecting to find the secretary still standing by the door, but that dapper young man had stolen from the room.

"Yes, take me home," said Elizabeth.

He led her from the house and the door closed behind them on their last hope. Both shared in the bitter consciousness of this. They had been brought face to face with the inexorable demands of life, they had been foredoomed to failure from the very beginning.

"Father?" she gasped.

"Yes, dear?" He spoke with infinite tenderness.

"Is there nothing more?"

"Nothing, but to go home."

Deeply as he felt for her, he knew that he realized only an infinitesimal part of her suffering.

"The governor has refused to in-

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terfere?"  
"You heard what he said, dear," he answered simply.  
"And I have to go back and tell John that after all our hopes, after all our prayers—"

"Perhaps you would better not go back," he suggested.  
"Not go back? No, I must see him! You would not deny me this." (To be Continued.)



## The Doctor's Advice

by Dr. Lewis Baker

The questions answered below are general in character, the symptoms or diseases are given and the answers will apply to any case of similar nature.

Those wishing further advice, free, may address Dr. Lewis Baker, College Bldg., College-Ellwood Sts., Dayton, O., enclosing self-addressed stamped envelope for reply. Full name and address must be given but only initials or fictitious name will be used in my answers. The prescriptions can be filled at any well-stocked drug store. Any druggist can order of wholesaler.

tirely cured of that disagreeable disease, rheumatism. Purchase 2 drams of iodide of potassium; one-half ounce of wine of colchicum; 4 drams of sodium salicylate; 1 oz. comp. fluid balmwort; 1 oz. comp. essence cardiol; and 5 ozs. of syrup sarsaparilla. This has cured thousands and I am sure it will cure you.

"La Rue" writes: "For many years I have suffered with stomach and bowel trouble which has been caused by a severe case of catarrh. My blood is also in poor condition. What can be done for me?"

Answer: If you follow the directions given below you will soon be well and strong again. Obtain the following from any well-stocked drug store and mix by shaking well, then take a teaspoonful four times daily: Syrup sarsaparilla comp. 4 ozs., comp. fluid balmwort, 1 oz., fluid ext. Buchu, 1 oz. Use in connection with this the following local treatment: Get a 2-oz. package of antiseptic vi-lano powder and make a catarrh balm by mixing one ounce of lard or vaseline with a level teaspoonful of the powder and use in the nostrils daily. Also make a wash of one pint of warm water and one-half teaspoonful of Milane powder and use two or three times a day until the nostrils are thoroughly cleansed and your trouble will soon be gone



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If you want to see something good, don't miss seeing the 2 reel Western play entitled

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And two other good reels, one a dandy Comedy.

Remember the Price, 5c.

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## POSAM HEALS UNSIGHTLY SKIN TROUBLES

After an affected surface has been covered with Poslam, the progress of the disease has been effectively checked. It cannot longer spread.

From now on an active, intense healing process is exerted, strengthened with each succeeding application, until the disease is mastered and driven away.

The uniformity and the positiveness with which Poslam over and over again accomplishes this definite work make it a dependable skin specific, the only one which should be first called to aid should eczema, acne, pimples, itch or any form of skin disorder afflict.

POSAM SOAP improves the health, color and quality of the skin; beautifies complexion, renders the hands soft and velvety; purifies the scalp.

All druggists sell Poslam (price, 50 cents) and Poslam Soap (price, 25 cents). For free samples, write to the Emergency Laboratories, 32 West 25th Street, New York City.

### BIRTHDAY PARTY

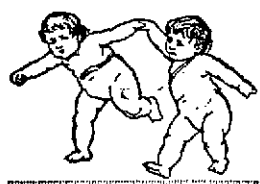
Mrs. F. Outcalt, 1710 Charles street, entertained at a party Monday afternoon and evening in honor of the seventh birthday of her daughter Doris. The afternoon was spent in games, after which a supper was served at 5 o'clock. A large birthday cake with seven candles adorned the center of the table. Miss Outcalt was presented with many gifts as a remembrance of the occasion. Those present were Doris Outcalt, Mildred Noem, Florence Layland, Ida Miller, Ruth Fass, Isabelle Mercereau, Kathryn Vogel, Henrietta Finn, Robert Hammersberg, Harry Mercereau, Chester Hammersberg and Mesdames Fass and Hammersberg.

### MAY DAY ENTERTAINMENT

A May day coffee will be given by the children of the St. James school, corner Avon and St. James street Thursday afternoon and evening. Amusements in the form of games have been arranged for, ice cream will be served. Everybody is invited.

### VAN BURG SPRAINS ANKLE

Homer Van Burg, of fire department No. 2, while climbing a ladder in the barn in the rear of the fire department yesterday, fell, spraining his ankle seriously. Physicians say that he will be confined to his home, 1000 Avon street, for several days.



## That Wonderful Event

IF THERE is a time above all times when a woman should be in perfect physical condition it is the time previous to the coming of her babe.

During this period many women suffer from headache, sleeplessness, pains of various description, poor appetite, and a host of other ailments which should be eliminated in justice to the new life about to be ushered into this world.

## DR. PIERCE'S FAVORITE PRESCRIPTION

is a scientific medicine carefully compounded by an experienced and skillful physician, and adapted to the needs and requirements of woman's delicate system. It has been recommended for over forty years as a remedy for those peculiar ailments which make their appearance during the "expectant" period. Motherhood is made easier by its use. Thousands of women have benefited by this great medicine.

Your druggist can supply you in liquid or tablet form, or you can send 50 one-cent stamps for a trial box of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription Tablets, to Dr. Pierce, at Invalids' Hotel and Surgical Institute, Buffalo.

It is your privilege to write to Dr. Pierce for advice, and it will be gladly given free of charge. Of course all communications are confidential.

## QUICKLY CURES THE WORST BACKACHE

Makes Kidney Troubles, Bladder Disorders, and Rheumatic Pains Vanish

It is no longer necessary for any one to suffer with backaching, kidney trouble, have disagreeable bladder and urinary disorders to contend with, or be tortured with rheumatism, stiff joints, and its heart-wrenching pains, for the new discovery, Croxone, quickly and surely relieves all such troubles.

Croxone is the most wonderful remedy yet devised for ridding the system of uric acid and driving out all the poisonous impurities which cause such troubles. It is entirely different from all other remedies. It is not like anything else ever used for the purpose. It acts on the principle of cleaning out the poisons and removing the cause.

It soaks right in through the walls, membranes and linings, like water in a sponge, neutralizes, dissolves, and makes the kidneys sift out and filter away, all the uric acid and poisons from the blood, and leaves the kidneys and urinary organs clean, strong, healthy, and well.

It matters not how long you have suffered, how old you are, or what you have used, the very principle of Croxone is such, that it is practically impossible to take it into the human system without results. There is nothing else on earth like it. It starts to work the minute you take it and relieves you the first time you use it.

If you suffer with pains in your back, and sides, or have any signs of kidney, bladder troubles, or rheumatism, such as puffy swellings under the eyes or in the feet and ankles, if you are nervous, tired, and run down, or bothered with urinary disorders, Croxone will quickly relieve you of your misery. You can secure an original package of Croxone at trifling cost from any first class druggist. All druggists are authorized to personally return the purchase price if it fails in a single case.

## NEW YORK POLICE TRIED FOR GRAFT

Four Former Inspectors Face Charges of Conspiracy in Court Today

NEW YORK, April 29.—After months of investigation of the police "system" of graft and vice protection District Attorney Whitman today called to trial four former inspectors, beginning the most important and police corruption ever seen in the courts of New York. The quartet of defendants—Dennis Sweeney, James E. Hunsley, James F. Thompson and John J. Martha, were arraigned on the charge of "conspiracy to obstruct justice," the state claims that these four had long plotted by the graft system and when threatened with exposure conspired to bribe witnesses to stay out of jurisdiction. The trial is based on only one of several indictments against the police officers.

### VIROQUA, WIS.

A number of young people gave a surprise party for Helen Neprud at her home in honor of her seventeenth birthday.

Miss Catherine Munson spent a few days in Madison with friends.

Attorney Skarr of La Crosse was in the city Friday.

A baby boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. John Natwick.

John Graves of Madison was in the city Thursday.

Orville Johnson of Westby, who has been employed in Minneapolis was in the city.

Mr. J. F. Heal of Marshfield was in the city because of the illness of his mother.

Mrs. Fred Dummer of Chasaburg visited her daughter, Miss Alice Dummer, here.

Mrs. M. C. Nichols has returned from West Salem where she spent the winter with her daughter, Mrs. George Dudley.

Miss Ethel Dix was in La Crosse Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Lawrence of Viola visited their son, Lawrence.

Ed. Wiganosky went to Beach, N. D., where he will remain with his daughter for the summer.

Mr. A. Jambos of Genoa, was in the city last week.

Jay Moon of Viola was in the city Thursday.

C. W. Graves returned Thursday from a business trip in Madison.

D. O. Stevingson of Coon Valley, was in the city because of the illness of his father who was stricken with paralysis.

A porch is being added to the home of Mrs. Leonard Davis on North Main street.

Miss Edith Hale of Readstown visited Mrs. Henry Hendrickson.

P. J. Fauteck of Ontario was in the city last week.

Capt. Conner is visiting his daughter, Mrs. George Thompson, in Hillsboro.

J. E. Shreve spent several days in Hillsboro.

Mrs. D. M. Hunter and children of Viola visited Mrs. George Nuzum.

### ENLARGE SOX PARK

CHICAGO, April 29.—Comiskey's White Sox park will have the largest capacity of any ball park in the world when the season of 1914 opens. Changes contemplated and for which bids are being received, involve an expenditure of more than \$150,000. The park, with completed additions, will seat between 35,000 and 40,000.

## North Side

## NEW TRAIN ON THE BURLINGTON

Local Between La Crosse and Savanna; New Time Card on the Milwaukee

A new train will be run between La Crosse and Savanna, Ill., on the Chicago, Burlington and Quincy road commencing next Sunday.

The train will be a local and will leave Grand Crossing at 12:01 a. m. daily.

This train has been put on to make the local stops that faster trains have formerly made. All trains between La Crosse and Savanna are being held up at different intervals on account of the extensive double track work that is being done all along the line.

A new time card has been issued on the Milwaukee, which is expected to affect the time of several trains now running.

Passenger train No. 5, that formerly arrived in La Crosse at 8:50, will arrive at 5:35. The new schedule will be in effect in about two days.

## RETURN FROM LONG TRIP ON THE RIVER

Charles Stannard and R. Cole returned last night from their trip to the twin cities in their launch. The trip was made in six days. Four days were consumed in going upstream and two were taken to come back to La Crosse.

The men report a most favorable trip, with nothing to mar their pleasure. Three stops were made upstream, the men carrying provisions and tents and camping out each night.

Joseph Stockemer, Frank Osweiler and Edward Tracy, north side boat fans, stalled their motor boat on a sand bar in Black river Friday night, causing some difficulty in getting the boat to the shore. Just after leaving their boat house, their engine stalled on them, and they were compelled to drift while trying to get it to run, and in this way they were run on the bar. Edward Tracy got out of the boat and finally managed to pull it to the ashore.

## TROMBLEY TO CAPTAIN FRONTENAC

Captain R. H. Trombley, said to be the oldest Mississippi steamboat captain and pilot, will this season be in charge of the steamer Frontenac, and the barge Mississippi, which are owned by the Mississippi Amusement company of Davenport, Ia.

In about two weeks the steamer will leave Davenport for St. Paul, and will then fill different engagements between St. Louis and St. Paul.

Captain Trombley is the best known steamboat man on the Mississippi, and as a pilot, has no superior on any stream. He comes of old river stock, his father having command of the first boat ever engaged in the logging business.

Last year Captain Trombley was captain and pilot of the G. W. Hill. Prior to this time, he was in charge of the W. W. Mary Morton and other well known steamers.

### HUGGINS-WOLL WEDDING

Ole Woll and Miss Hurlig Huggins were married last Saturday afternoon at 5 o'clock at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Woll, 1617 George street, with whom the bride resided.

The bride wore a white silk gown and carried bride's roses. Miss Caspersa Christianson acted as flower girl. She was dressed in white and carried pink carnations.

Rev. O. L. Christianson officiated. Miss Emma Woll played the wedding march. A dinner was served the guests after the ceremony. The couple left Sunday for a trip to Bison, S. D. Md. Woll is an employee of the Wells Fargo Express company.

### Insomnia

If you cannot sleep, your nervous system is out of order, and health, happiness and success cannot be yours if you let the condition of your nerves become worse. Loss of sleep will quickly run you down.

Do not make the mistake of treating a system by taking a harmful sleeping potion, meanwhile neglecting to treat the seat of the trouble—your nerves.

### Warner's Safe Nerve

has no equal for insomnia, nervous headache, neurasthenia, nervous dyspepsia, and nervous exhaustion. It helps in building up the run-down, exhausted nervous system, and aids in inducing restful sleep—thereby health is soon restored.

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Each for a purpose  
1—Kidney and Liver Remedy  
2—Rheumatic Remedy  
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6—Pills (Constipation, Biliousness)

Sold by all Druggists  
Write for a free sample giving the number of remedy desired to Warner's Safe Remedies Co., Dept. 422 Rochester, N. Y.

## NOTED INVALID OF KENTUCKY

After Regaining Her Health Makes Few Interesting Statements for Publication

Lykins, Ky.—"For 20 years, I was a noted invalid," says Mrs. Martha Dingus of this place. "I believe I had every ailment that my sex is subject to."

We consulted numerous doctors, as well as traveled a great deal, thinking it would benefit my health, but all of this did me very little good.

Finally I was taken down with what I thought was heart trouble. I used all kinds of medicines, but got no better.

I then commenced taking Cardui, the woman's tonic, and have been steadily improving ever since. Though now 46 years old, I am in better health than I have been in 20 years, and I give Cardui the credit for it. I feel it my duty to inform you what it has done for me."

No matter if your trouble has reached a critical stage, don't give up, before giving Cardui a trial. You couldn't be in much worse condition than Mrs. Dingus, and yet she found relief in this medicine. Why not you?

Cardui is composed of purely vegetable ingredients, which act directly, in a remedial way, on the weakened womanly constitution. In every community there are those who have been benefited by Cardui. Be one, yourself, in yours.

N. B.—Write to: Ladies' Advisory Dept., Chattanooga Medicine Co., Chattanooga, Tenn., for Special Instructions, and 64-page book, "Home Treatment for Women," sent in plain wrapper, on request.

## GIVE PIPES TO PUSH TOBACCO

American Tobacco Company Plans Campaign to Make Demand for Popular Smoke

D. J. Sullivan, formerly of Milwaukee and recently of New York City, is again in the Wisconsin market representing the American Tobacco company's smoking products and featuring Tuxedo tobacco in a new and modern method of reaching the consumer and creating further demand for this already famous high grade brand of smoking tobacco.

After trying out the new method in the east, Mr. Sullivan says that it has proved a great success, with the dealers, as well as promoting the sale of Tuxedo by supplying every live and up-to-date dealer in the city with Sweet Phoenix Togo Cob Pipes to be given with the purchase of every 10-cent tin of Tuxedo to both the new and old friends of this brand.

"There is a reason for the wonderful and continued growth of Tuxedo tobacco because it is made from the choicest leaf of its kind and by its process of manufacture the bite has been entirely eliminated, making it most desirable for pipe or cigarette," says Mr. Sullivan. "This is substantiated by the testimonials volunteered by men of note and world-wide fame and they all agree that a pipe of Tuxedo is a good tonic during or after a hard day of nervous strain."

"The pipe of tobacco, as we all know, when properly filled with Tuxedo, is a forerunner of peace of mind and good will as well as comfort in the family fireside circle."

### HOLIDAY FOR GAMES

CHICAGO, April 29.—The period June 28 to July 6, during which the Olympic games will be held at Grant park, has been designated an official holiday by the city council and public buildings will be decorated. Mrs. Ella Plagg Young, superintendent of schools, has promised to enter several thousand school children.

### BOSTON WANTS CHASE

NEW YORK, April 29.—Manager Stahl of the Boston Red Sox, is after Hal Chase and with sufficient inducements, Manager Chance might agree to give up the Yankee star, according to a report circulated today.

Read Story of Her Death. When a blacksmith, named Lyon, declared that the body of a drowned woman, recently exhumed at Creil, France, was that of his wife, Juliette, who deserted him two years ago, a death certificate was made out in her name. Juliette, however, was very much alive, and, after reading the story in the Petit Parisien, she wrote an indignant letter to the authorities, demanding to be "officially reestablished."

### GOPHERS LICK MAROONS

CHICAGO, April 29.—There was a rift in the Maroon record of unbroken conference victories today. Minnesota smashed the clean sheet the Chicagoans hung up, winning 7 to 3.

## RESCUERS SEE TEN OF FAMILIES DROWN

Mothers and Nine Children Slip from Roof Into the Flood With No Chance of Help

NATCHEZ, Miss., April 29.—While rescue parties looked on in horror, two frantic mothers with nine little children, marooned on the top of a house in the flooded interior, called out vain pleas for help and then plunged to their death when their place of refuge toppled over in the swirling waters and vanished from sight.

The rescuers brought the word when they returned to Natchez today with two boat loads of survivors. Their boats were so crowded that to have taken on the women and little children would have swamped them.

Nine parishes, reaching five miles inland, are under water and the Mississippi is pouring in through a mile wide crevasse at St. John. At Bemy, where the levees are still holding, two negroes were shot while trying to cut the embankment. It is thought they were working for planters on the other side of the stream.

## JOHN BARLEYCORN HAS HIS INNING

SPARTA, Wis., April 29.—Saturday was field day for John Barleycorn at Wilton in this county if the justice court records of Monday can be believed. Joseph Joffers and son, John Joffers, are farmers and each is a posted man. They came to town on Saturday and during the day both were arrested on a charge of drunkenness. The cases were heard Monday morning and in the meantime a complaint had been made under the statute to inquire from what sources they obtained their liquor. These cases are pending.

Otto Goldbeck, a painter, was living up to the old traditions of his trade by getting drunk Saturday afternoon. He met Mike Englerth in a saloon and playfully or unconsciously or in some manner slapped him and made his nose bleed. Then Goldbeck went into another saloon and sat down in a chair and went to sleep. In the meantime Englerth had been stopping the nose bleed and getting mad. With a friend or two, he sought out Goldbeck in the other saloon and announced that he would not accept an apology but would return the compliment and proceeded to beat Goldbeck over the head with a chair. Adam Englerth, father of Mike, upon seeing his family's blood spilled, vowed to have solace for his wounded feeling, and with his son was in Sparta at five o'clock Monday morning seeking the district attorney and a warrant. An assault and battery charge was brought against Goldbeck and the officer sent after him.

At Goldbeck's hearing he pleaded not guilty and the case was adjourned to May 9th. It is said that he will immediately cause a similar warrant to be issued because Mike with the bloody nose, beat him over the head with a chair. Speaking of Wilton, Assemblyman Frederick of slot machine fame, has another nice handful for the saloon keepers of that village in the form of sworn testimony of competent witnesses regarding Sunday violation of the excise law by all of the bar keepers of the village, except Wm. Lankes. Names of the defendants are not public, but will be Tuesday as warrants have been issued for the arrest of these men, which will occur Tuesday.

Fire at Putnam Residence. Fire yesterday afternoon seriously damaged the residence of Jacob Putman on South Myrtle street. The conflagration is said to have started from a bonfire and spread from the wood shed to the rear of the house. Much difficulty was experienced in saving from damage the residences on either side of the Putnam house, but no harm was done them except from the heat. The firemen, after an hour's work, had the fire out, although it seemed to be a difficult one to fight.

Sheriff Leo Vieth was a caller at Norwalk Monday morning. Senator Howard Tossdale and Attorney Z. S. Rice were business visitors at Wilton Monday.

Miss Eva Moffat entertained a company of friends in honor of a guest from Minot, N. D., Friday evening, at bridge.

Misses Kathryn and Gertrude Maden attended the theater at La Crosse Monday evening.

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## M'GREGOR, IOWA

Mrs. George Washburn and daughter spent Sunday with Mrs. James Jasperson.  
Frank Parnell returned from Mason City Thursday.  
The small son of Milo Knapp of Pleasant Ridge was brought to the Clark hospital the past week for treatment.  
J. P. Widman has returned from a trip to Waterloo, Iowa.  
Wm. Meyers, Jake Phillips, Joe Gerich, C. N. Stevens, Will Evans and George Dean came in from the road to spend Sunday at home.  
Mrs. John Burns and son, Donald, of Montana, arrived Saturday for a

## Good Service Talk—No. 14

The people of La Crosse are fortunate in being located in a city which is supplied with gas and electricity under state regulations.

The Railroad Commission of Wisconsin is composed of an able body of business men, engineers and accountants, who are working daily in assisting gas and electric companies throughout the state to supply good service to the consumers.

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## PERSONALS

Andre's orchestra, Lyric tonight.  
F. J. Noetzel unloaded a carload of Chase motor trucks yesterday. This is the second car load received recently.  
Mrs. Fred Guenther has returned from Colorado to spend the summer with her daughter, Mrs. W. H. Blumentritt, of Mound Prairie, Minn.  
Mrs. A. Heberlein, 1124 South Third street, is in Chicago attending the funeral of her mother, who died a few days ago. Mrs. Heberlein was 92 years of age.

Mrs. M. A. Tucker, 1716 Winnebago street, accompanied her son, Russell, to the Wales tuberculosis sanatorium today.

Charles J. Vogel, Lynxville, is the guest of friends here while on a business trip.

Hack calls day and night. Gateway City Transfer Co. Phone 179.  
H. Rutter, Ferryville, is visiting friends and relatives here for a few days.

H. H. Latimer and wife, Genoa, are returning to their home, after transacting business and shopping in this city.

J. P. Riley, Eleva, Wis., was a business visitor here for a few hours yesterday.

W. D. Piccotte, Eau Claire, is a visitor in town on business.

A. F. Funk, Madison, Wis., transacted business in this city yesterday.

E. Deltz, Sparta, is the guest of friends and relatives here for a few days.

C. A. Milford, Sparta, Wis., is visiting friends here while on a business visit.

Mayday luncheon by St. Paul's league at Universalist church, 11:30 until all are served. Parties accommodated.

C. E. Reuben, Chatfield, Minn., passed through the city this morning visiting friends.

A. P. Marshall, Viroqua, is a business visitor here for a few days.

T. N. Lee and John Valler returned to their home in Spring Grove this afternoon, after a brief visit.

G. Harman, Houston, Minn., is the guest of friends here.

A. Mill, Viroqua, transacted business in the city yesterday morning.

Gustave Zabolin, Genoa, will return to his home tonight, after a short visit to this city.

August Bowman, La Crosse, is visiting friends in this city.

F. W. Kruse of Mankato, Minn., is in this city on a business trip.

Herbert K. Moss left today for a business trip through southern Minnesota. He will be gone several days.

Don't forget the big May ball at K. P. hall given by the E. F. U. Friday night, May 2. Kreutz's orchestra.

Theodore Ubbelohde has returned from a business visit to Sparta.

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The worst cases, no matter of how long standing, are cured by the wonderful, old reliable Dr. Porter's Antiseptic Healing Oil. It relieves Pain and Heals at the same time, 25c, 50c, \$1.00.

## CHASEBURG, WIS.

Announcement has been made of the coming marriage of Miss Cora Gilbertson to Ed Erickson, both of this place.

The Valley Reds were defeated 7 to 5 by the Middle Coon Valley nine Sunday afternoon in a hotly contested game. Batteries: Reds, Overton and Miller; Middle Coon Valley, Jacobson and Hoiter. Umpire, Martine.

The second game, which was loosely played, resulted in a victory for the Reds by the one sided score of 20 to 8. The game was slow and uninteresting throughout. Batteries: Reds, Overton and Miller; Middle Coon Valley, Hanson, Neuman, Lowe and Martine. Umpire, Aiken.

H. W. Schallert and wife spent Sunday at the Dingledeine home near Stoddard.

Miss Rachel Hanson spent Saturday at La Crosse shopping and visiting friends.

Arthur Larson, who is employed in La Crosse, spent Sunday at his home here.

Mrs. Edward Finstad spent Saturday and Sunday in Onalaska visiting her daughter.

Miss Millie Finstad of Viroqua spent the latter part of the week here visiting at the Larson home.

Charles Brundlos and wife spent Sunday on South Ridge visiting relatives.

Miss Lillie Ronigen, who attends school in Onalaska spent Saturday and Sunday at home.

Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Daily of Pleasant Ridge, spent Saturday in McGregor.

George Kneeb has purchased the Kennedy property up Methodist Hollow.

A. C. Boyle has been serving on the grand jury at Dubuque the past week.

Mrs. Wm. Kaiser of Detroit, Mich., has been the guest of her sister, Mrs. Milton Boyle.

Sheriff Bergemeyer of Elkader, spent Tuesday in McGregor.

The Bergman meat market has been undergoing repairs.

Mrs. Robert Lusk returned from Elkader Saturday morning after a week's visit with her parents.

## This Spring Tonic Great Health Aid

(From American Press)  
At the first signs of warm weather, spring fever, poor appetites, pale, yellow, pimply faces and that tired, drowsy, overworked feeling remind us of the urgent need of taking preventive measures to ward off sickness and give us energy and good health. At this season of the year no one should neglect taking a good tonic to purify the blood and build up the body with strength and energy.

No better tonic can be had than the good old-fashioned one made at home at small cost by dissolving an ounce of kardenia (which you can obtain at any drug store) in one-half pint alcohol, adding one-half cupful sugar and hot water to make a full quart.

A tablespoonful before each meal will do wonders for those who feel "all gone" after the strain of winter or who feel sick and yet don't know just what's the matter.

## IMPORTANT NOTICE

I only have a limited number of bottles on hand of the celebrated **INDIAN WA-HOO BITTERS.**

After these are sold, none are to be had this season any more.

The Bitters has been successfully used by hundreds of our citizens in cases of Rheumatism, Blood Disorders, Stomach Troubles, Liver and Kidney Complaints, Female Weakness and Habitual Constipation. Call early before they are sold.

Parcel Post and Telephone orders for it, or anything you may want, will be promptly delivered.

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## DO YOUR CHILDREN NEED BUILDING UP?

Thousands of mothers use Father John's Medicine in their families as a tonic and body builder, when the little ones become weak or run down. The nourishing, pure food elements of which the medicine is composed give flesh and strength and bring back the flush of health. It is a safe medicine to use, because it is free from alcohol or dangerous drugs in any form. Not a patent medicine but a doctor's prescription with more than 50 years of success. Get a bottle today.

If you have any difficulty in getting Father John's Medicine from your druggist write to Father John's Medicine, Lowell, Mass., enclosing \$1.00 for a large bottle by express prepaid.

## WEST SALEM, WIS.

Mrs. H. H. Oltman of Chicago, who has been visiting at the home of B. H. Oltman, returned to her home Wednesday.

The Norwegian Valley Lutheran church and society held a sociable and business meeting at the home of Rev. Otterson Wednesday. The officers for the ensuing year are: President, Mrs. Otterson; secretary, Miss Minnie Johnson, and treasurer, Mrs. Matt Lee.

E. E. Conrad and Al Eldred are at Mendota this week putting in an electric light plant for Erickson Brothers. When complete it will light the store, market and dwelling house.

The spelling contest between the grammar room and high school has been postponed until Monday afternoon.

Miss Dorothy Lisle of St. Louis who has been attending school in Chicago, is visiting at the home of Rev. S. L. McKee for a few weeks.

Mrs. Wm. McElowney entertained at 6 o'clock dinner Thursday.

Mrs. Josephine Spalding is confined to her home by illness.

Miss Jessie Tower visited her sister, Mrs. A. Miller, of La Crosse on Friday.

The La Crosse County bank has put in an electric lighting plant.

Dr. Swarthout has bought the Steenson mill property.

Miss Nellie Smead entertained a few friends Tuesday evening.

Mrs. John Steenson will leave Wednesday for a trip to North Yakima, Wash., where she will visit at the home of Mr. Neil Steenson.

Mrs. Jessie Viets, Asplin of La Crosse, will leave Wednesday for Wichita, Kan., where she will visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Viets and grandmother, Mrs. A. K. Viets.

Mrs. D. Garlick is nearly settled in her new rooms at the Joseph Marshall residence.

Mrs. Victor Cassel and daughter have returned to Red Wing, Minn., after several months' visit with friends.

The services of the Federated churches were again held in the Congregational church. The church has been thoroughly cleaned, painted and a new carpet put down. After this the orchestra will play at the morning services instead of in the evening.

Sever Olson, aged 75, died at his home in McKinley Valley Sunday morning.

The Mission club of the Presbyterian church will meet at the home of Mrs. Frank Bolles Friday afternoon.

The subject is "Women in China." Those taking part are Mrs. Rose Pfaff, Mrs. Grace Quiggle, Mrs. Nellie Gullickson, Mrs. Nellie Knudson, Mrs. Clara Kirmee and Miss Lizzie McElowney. The leader is Mrs. Margaret Stevens.

The new bell for the village hall has been received.

We received today two new patterns of flatware, Knives, Forks and Spoons—the Mission and Laurel. Either pattern is as well made as sterling silver but costs less than half as much. R. Wallace & Sons guarantee these goods for 25 years.

6 Knives and 6 Forks, fancy handles ..... \$6.00  
6 Tea Spoons ..... \$2.00  
6 Fruit Knives ..... \$2.00

An investment of \$12.00 to \$15.00 will decorate your table very nicely. Surprise your wife by presenting her with some of this fine silverware.

**TWO BEAUTIES**

**W. T. IRVINE, Jeweler**

## SOCIETY

### SILVER ANNIVERSARY

Mr. and Mrs. M. Anderson, 1709 Mississippi street, observed the twenty-fifth anniversary of their marriage on Sunday.

### CHURCH SUPPER

The elders and trustees of the First Presbyterian church will give a 6 o'clock dinner tonight at the church parlors.

### BIRTHDAY

A party was held at the home of Miss Anna Scherrer, 1123 South Eleventh street, the occasion being her nineteenth birthday. The evening was spent in playing games, singing and dancing. Several selections were rendered on the piano by Miss Scherrer and Miss Hake. Those present were E. Hake, E. Hackner, B. Hoser, T. Heinemann, M. Halbach, L. Halbach, J. Schaller, A. Ross, A. Scherrer, Anna Scherrer, Messrs. J. L. Murphy, R. Bradley, Wm. Krismier, W. J. Hackner, G. Hanewich, J. Kush and C. L. White, and J. L. Strand of Loyal, Mrs. G. Brandenstein, G. W. Lorenzo, J. Henitz and R. Ash. A delicious lunch was served at a late hour. Miss Scherrer received many beautiful gifts.

### SOCIAL BRIEFS

Mrs. Abby Burton and daughter, Mrs. E. J. Williams and children of Panama, who went abroad last fall, landed today in New York.

Miss Gertrude Smith of St. Paul came down last Saturday to see to the removing of her mother's effects from the Country club. Mrs. Smith is in Pasadena, Cal., and it is not known when she will return as she has charge of a tea house there.

Miss Helen Marion Day of Peoria, Ill., is the guest for a few days of Mr. and Mrs. N. D. Allen.

Miss Mary Fogarty of Brownsville spent the day in the city yesterday on shopping expedition.

Mrs. E. H. Dale of Columbus, O., is visiting friends in the city.

## PRAIRIE DU CHIEN

Managers of the iron mining project near Readstown in the Kickapoo Valley have arrived and will start out this week with a crew of laborers to commence work on the mine shaft.

The body of Mrs. Harry Sanderson (nee Lola Code) was brought here the past week from Arizona, where her death took place two years ago, and was interred in the Rosenbaum lot in the Catholic cemetery. Mrs. Code was the granddaughter of Mrs. M. Rosenbaum and formerly made her home here, where she is well remembered by a large circle of friends.

The annual oratorical and declamatory contest of the Wisconsin Valley Oratorical league took place Friday night in the new auditorium at Richland Center. Miss Charlotte Fitzgerald of Richland Center high school won first place in the declamatory contest, her selection being "Lascas." First place in the oratorical contest was won by Gregor Affleck of Muscoda with "The Atlanta Speech of Booker T. Washington," second by Walter Beckwith of Richland Center, with "David O'Connell." The judges were Messrs. O. S. Rice of Madison, H. F. Kraeger of Mazomanie, and Professor Babbington of Prairie du Sac. Those who went from Prairie du Chien to attend the contest were Mrs. J. D. Stuart, the Misses Ruth Gray, Anne Douglas, Alice Johnson, Hilda Larsen, Hazel Savage, Dorsey Baker and Alice Stuart, Messrs. N. Gunderson and William Welsh.

The public school grade entertainment will be given at the Metropolitan theater next Saturday evening, May 3. The high school play, "Folly in Politics," which was to have been presented next week, has been postponed until May 10.

Mrs. H. N. Jennings is spending a few days at the home of her parents, Dr. and Mrs. F. L. Barney in Gays Mill.

Mrs. Pratt of Boscobel is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Anna Walker.

Miss Clara Stanford was home over Sunday from her school near Wauzeka.

Mrs. W. B. Tart and Mrs. F. A. Bull spent Saturday in La Crosse.

Harry Pier, cashier of the Eastman bank, was a business visitor in Prairie du Chien Friday.

Miss Mary Rowley is spending some time with friends in Chicago.

Miss Anne Douglas of the high school faculty spent Sunday at her home in Postville, Iowa.

Miss Nettie Otto is visiting friends in Milwaukee.

Raymond Stackland drove to Patch Grove and returned Saturday.

Van S. Brokaw is home from Edmonton, Alberta, for a short vacation.

Floyd Hurlburt is home from Chicago and is to assure temporary management of the Prairie du Chien "Union."

Bruce Smith of Chicago and Edward White of St. Paul were guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Dousman over Sunday.

A game of ball Sunday afternoon at Sacred Heart college between the college and a picked up team from the state university resulted in a score of 9 to 4 in favor of the college.

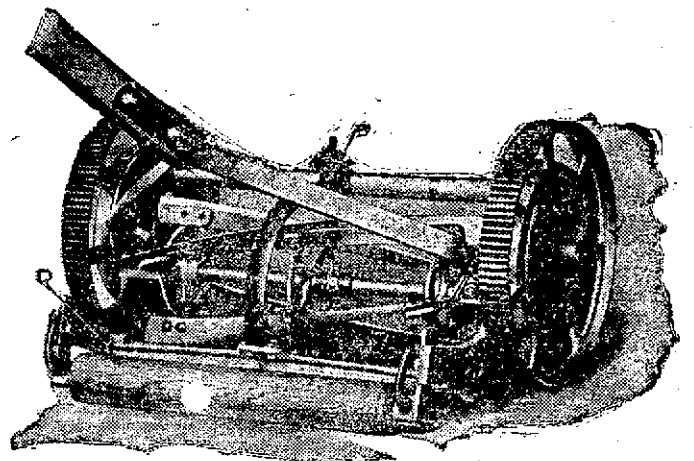
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at 1/2 regular price, for April 30 is the last day of our first quarter century in the drug business. Thursday will be our Souvenir Day for Ladies, at

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## VARSITY FRESHMAN WINS MIDDY EXAM

MADISON, Wis., April 29.—Ingolf Norman Kiland, son of Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Kiland, 412 West Milflin street, a freshman in the university, has won first place in the competitive examination for midshipman at the national naval academy at Annapolis. The competitive examination was held at Madison April 15 to 17. The successful candidate was educated at the Manitowoc high school. He was the champion swimmer of the Manitowoc schools.

### D. L. DOUGLAS DIES

EAU CLAIRE, Wis., April 29.—David L. Douglas, 68, organizer and president of the Eau Claire Gas Light company, also of the Manitowoc Gas Light company, died at his home here today following an illness of several months. He is survived by a widow and three sons.

We once met a woman who was such a slave to fashion that she was even willing to work for her clothes.

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## MOTHERS' PENSION LAW

HARRISBURG, Pa., April 29.—Governor Tener today signed the Sheatz bill establishing a system of mothers' pensions in Pennsylvania. The bill appropriates \$200,000 from the state treasury, to be apportioned among counties according to population.

## BEWARE

Glasses are offered over the counter—even peddlers can sell them—because you will buy them. Ten cent stores sell glasses—because you will buy them. That is why my business is growing. Folks wear these glasses who don't need them. We make glasses correct your eye troubles. Others just sell the glasses.

## H. C. EVENSON

EYESIGHT SPECIALIST  
Manufacturing Optician  
Fifth and Main Sts., upstairs



# ATTENTION EVERY JEW

And every Gentile; every Catholic, and every Protestant of all denominations, and in fact every one in this city should plan to see

## "FROM THE MANGER TO THE CROSS" Tomorrow or Thursday or Friday

These pictures—5 reels of them—are being shown throughout the country at 25c and 50c. (See the Court Theater ad. in the Chicago papers). We have purchased the films for La Crosse in order to show them at **TEN CENTS.**

**SPLENDID PICTURES TODAY**

## Mack's PICTURE SHOW

La Crosse Theatre

La Crosse Theatre

### DRILL COMPETITION FOR LOCAL MILITIA

Companies B and M to Take Part in General Contest to Pick Best Drilled Squad in Regiment

The two local companies of militia will compete in a drill contest at Sparta Thursday, May 22, together with squads from Companies D, F, K and L of the Third regiment, and B of the Tenth battalion. On the same date there will be a similar competition at Eau Claire, at which the Tenth regiment and A, C, and D of the Third regiment will take part. The winners of the two sections of the competition will contest with each other for the regimental championship at the summer encampment.

The squads to take part are limited to nine men from each company. Orders have been issued by Col. Orlando Holway of the Third regiment to start company competitions immediately, to pick the squads and get them into shape for the competition at Sparta.

At the Eau Claire section of the contest, Colonel Holway, General Charles King, and Major Charles R. Williams will be judges. At Sparta the judges will be Lieut. Col. Randolph A. Richards, Major John Turner, and Captain Robert H. Westcott.

### HULL MARKET BILL ORDERED ENGROSSED

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**Fin.**—Mahon—for recall of certain state appointive commissioners.

**Hinkel**—Requiring the president of the state board of control to be an architect.

**Gulickson**—Permitting issue of special improvement bonds by counties for reclaiming swampy or cut-over lands.

Among senate bills ordered to third reading by the assembly were:

**Scott**—Requiring notice to the commissioner of insurance in actions or proceedings against an insurance company for an injunction or receiver.

**Scott**—Providing that the state board of control shall select a superintendent of the new hospital for the criminal insane, who shall in turn choose subordinate officials under the civil service requirements.

**Linley**—Removing certain technicalities in taking appeals to supreme court.

The following bills were passed by the assembly:

**Tension**—Constituting every chief of a fire department a deputy fire marshal and prescribing his duties.

**Kiefer**—Making the compensation of school directors in cities of the first class \$3 per day.

**Nye**—Fixing the legal form for mortgages.

**Committee on rules**—Relating to the transfer of shares of stock in corporations uniform with those of other states.

### TWO KILLED BY PRAIRIE FIRES

**MOOSE JAW, Sask., April 29.**—

Travelers from the south, where prairie fires are raging, brought information today that two lives were lost and possibly four, while many have been injured.

Settlers say it is impossible to estimate the losses. All agree that the fire is unprecedented in the history of the province. Nearly everything is burned between Radville and Wood mountain and in places the fire was more than 100 miles in width.

## Skin Sufferers—Read!

We want all skin sufferers who have suffered for many years the tortures of disease and who have sought medical aid in vain, to read this.

We, as old established druggists of this community, wish to recommend to you a product that has given many relief and may mean the end of your agony. The product is a mild, simple wash, not a patent medicine concocted of various worthless drugs, but a scientific compound made of well known antiseptic ingredients. It is made in the D.D.D. laboratories of Chicago and is called the D.D.D. Prescription for Eczema.

This is a doctor's special prescription—one that has effected many wonderful cures.

### BIG DEAL CLOSED IN SHORT ORDER

Scott-Rose People Waste No Time When They Get Chance to Buy Komiss-Robertson Stock

By a deal that took less than two hours to finish, the Scott-Rose company today took over the \$20,000 stock of the Komiss-Robertson company. The deal came about through the growth of Mr. David S. Komiss' business in Chicago. Mr. Komiss has five stores there, and he desires to give them his undivided attention.

Yesterday afternoon at 4:30 he approached Mr. Scott and Mr. Rose of the Scott-Rose company with a selling proposal, and before six days the deal had been closed. Today employees of both firms are in the Komiss-Robertson store sorting the stock and taking inventory preparatory to closing out the stock of the company.

Preparations are under way for a big sale of the entire stock in the newly purchased store. The sale will open within a few days in the Komiss-Robertson location, and sweeping cuts are promised by the Scott-Rose management.

### CAN'T SUPERVISE CURE

PLAN OF FRIEDMANN TO DIS-PENSE TURTLE SERUM PUTS HIM UNDER RULE OF BUT THREE STATES

**WASHINGTON, April 29.**—The United States government will have no authority over the conduct of the Friedmann institutes to be established in thirty-six states by the corporation which has assumed the right to use the culture. In only sixteen states will the sanitariums be amenable to state boards of health. Everywhere else the regulation of the treatment will be under the supervision of the state food and dairy commissioners.

In only three states in the union are the state boards of health given specific authority over the use of such cultures. These are New Jersey, Louisiana and New York.

### THOMPSON SPEAKS AT LODGE CEREMONY

Attorney James Thompson was the principal speaker at the Odd Fellows' ninety-fourth anniversary celebration which was held in the Odd Fellows' hall on South Fourth street last night. Mr. Thompson addressed the large crowd on "Fraternalism." The three La Crosse lodges joined in the celebration at which speaking, music and dancing served as entertainment.

### SPEEDERS FINED \$17.50 EACH

Harry Hirschheimer, Carl Michel and Ludwig Lawrence, chauffeur for the Parker-Hirt garage, pleaded guilty to a charge of breaking the speeding ordinance and were fined \$17.50 each by Judge Edward Cronon today. It is rumored that several other car owners will be arrested as soon as the secretary of state furnishes the police department with a list of the automobile licenses recorded in Madison. Letters were sent out to several automobile owners by the police yesterday warning them to keep their lights lit at night.

### POSTPONE TOLL PROBLEM

**WASHINGTON, April 29.**—With only Senator Brandegee of Connecticut dissenting the senate committee on interoceanic canals today voted to postpone until the December session of congress any discussion of Panama canal tolls.

### DENY M'KIBBIN THE RIGHT TO PRACTICE

Supreme Court Rules for Bar Association on Petition to Revoke License

**MADISON, Wis., April 29.**—(Special.)—The Vernon County Bar association today won its fight in the Wisconsin supreme court to have the license of George W. McKibbin to practice law revoked. The decision reversed the ruling made by Circuit Judge E. C. Higbee in La Crosse at the November term of court last fall.

This proceeding was brought by the bar association to show cause why McKibbin's license to practice law in Wisconsin should not be revoked on the ground that it was "imprudently granted." McKibbin was licensed before the supreme court of Tennessee upon his graduation from the U. S. Grant university, and practiced two years in Tennessee. Then he removed to West Virginia and was admitted to the circuit court but not to the supreme court.

The Vernon County Bar association contended it was not enough to be licensed by the supreme court of Tennessee followed up by two years' practice in West Virginia; he should have been admitted by the West Virginia supreme court and have practiced two years in that state before being entitled to practice in Wisconsin. Not having practiced two years in the state where he last was located, his right to practice in Wisconsin was protested. The circuit judge at La Crosse last November denied the bar association's petition and the association appealed to the supreme court.

### May Lose Office

Attorneys here expressed the opinion today that the district attorney of Vernon county cannot continue to hold that office under the supreme court's ruling. The courts say:

"No moral turpitude attaches to the respondent. He can probably regain his position through the abundant facilities offered by the written law it is far better that he should be put to that inconvenience than a dangerous precedent should be made."

### COUNTY TO LIQUIDATE \$25,000 OF BONDS

A check for \$25,000 will be sent to the Union Savings Bank of Davenport, Iowa, tomorrow by County Treasurer William Garbers for the purpose of taking up one-half of the La Crosse county agricultural school bonds which were issued five years ago to help defray the expense of building that institution. The bonds are drawing 4 1/2 per cent interest and were ordered liquidated at the last meeting of the county board of supervisors. The bonds were sold by Cooke, Holtz and Company of Chicago.

### WANT MORE TIME

**WASHINGTON, April 29.**—Attorneys for the Union Pacific and Oregon Short Line railroads today filed a memorandum with the supreme court of the United States to extend the time when the court's decree dissolving the Union Pacific-Southern Pacific merger shall become effective. An extension until July 1, as Attorney General McReynolds proposes, is declared to be inadequate.

### WEST LA CROSSE LOTS SOLD

Elmer Mercer sold four lots in Boucher's addition to West La Crosse to Anna Boycott for a consideration of \$1,200, according to the deed which was recorded by Register of Deeds Andrew Thompson today.

### DIRECTORS MEET TODAY

The board of directors of the La Crosse board of trade will hold the regular monthly meeting at the La Crosse club this afternoon to dispose of an accumulation of business.

### HARDY DENNISTON ILL

Hardy Denniston, assistant clerk of circuit court, is seriously ill at his home, 1237 Farnam street, with inflammation of the bladder. According to an announcement by his physician, he will recover.

### COUNTY BOARD MEETS MAY 14

The county board of supervisors will meet in regular session at the court house May 14, according to an announcement by County Clerk Bert Jolivet today.

### IS PROPER TO KILL SNAKE AND GOPHER

Band of Mercy Children Decide Poisonous Snakes and Gophers Should Be Exterminated

Is it wrong to kill snakes? Is it wrong to kill gophers?

These were the questions which occupied the first meeting of the Alert band of mercy, recently organized by the Humane society at the Hogan school, in order to teach the children kindness to animals. Both questions were debated at length by the children, and finally the following solutions were arrived at: It is right to kill poisonous snakes, because they are harmful; it is right to kill gophers because the county pays a bounty, thus proving they are harmful.

Yesterday's meeting was addressed by Miss Winnifred Salisbury, agent of the Humane society and Associated Charities. She sought to instill in her talk the necessity of being kind to birds, animals and human beings.

The Alert band, which was organized two weeks ago, has 143 members, all of whom are members of the third, fourth, fifth and sixth grades at the school. The following officers were chosen yesterday: President, Harold Kennedy; vice president, Rachael Moore; secretary, Margaret Moore; treasurer, Leslie Hill-ton. The executive committee of the board consists of the teachers at the Hogan school. The band meets fortnightly.

### MAN OF MYSTERY IN WILLING WINDOW

"Is he alive?" This question was asked a great many times by the crowds of people that watched a figure displaying clothing in the window of The Big Four clothing store.

The mechanical actions, the stony expression of the face, caused many comments and much speculation. The exhibition is really wonderful in a great many ways.

The man of mystery will be in the window each afternoon and evening for three days.

### OLD PASTOR TO SPEAK

On account of a special meeting at the church Friday night, the Young People's society of the First Presbyterian church will be in charge of the meeting at the City Mission tonight instead of tomorrow night. Rev. J. Kronmeyer, formerly pastor of the Presbyterian chapel on the south side, now pastor in Sioux City, Iowa, who is visiting in the city, will speak at the service at the mission tonight, and there will be special singing.

### FORM ELEVATOR SYNDICATE

**CHICAGO, April 29.**—Formation of a \$20,000,000 grain elevator syndicate, to be operated by Americans in European and South American grain markets was announced today by Attorney Levy Mayer, who returned from a trip abroad where arrangements were completed. The syndicate will construct a string of modern elevators. It will be known as the Universal Society of Elevators and will have headquarters in Paris. A Paris banking firm will be the fiscal agent of the syndicate.

### A Blessing to Victims Of "Sore Foot" Agony

The following is said to be the surest and quickest cure known to science for all foot ailments: "Dissolve two tablespoonfuls of Calocide compound in a basin of warm water. Soak the feet in this for fully fifteen minutes, gently rubbing the sore parts." The effect is really wonderful. All soreness goes instantly; the feet feel delightful. Corns and callouses can be peeled right off. It gives immediate relief for sore bunions, sweaty, smelly and aching feet. A twenty-five cent box of Calocide is said to be sufficient to cure the worst feet. It works through the pores and removes the cause of the trouble. Don't waste time on uncertain remedies. Any druggist has Calocide compound in stock or he can get it in a few hours from his wholesale house.

### New Bracelets

We have very recently received from the east some new bracelets—some very pretty things.

Delicate hoops and bands, some etched, some engraved, others stone set—antique, rose, Roman or polished finish, and as Thoreau said, are "somewhat as indescribable as the tints of morning and evening."

You'll be surprised at the little prices we have set upon them.

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### Relieve That Sore Throat Now With MUSTEROLE

MUSTEROLE brings quick and blessed relief to the sore throat and leaves a delicious feeling of ease and comfort.

It is a clean, white ointment, made with oil of mustard. You simply rub it on. No plaster needed.

Better than a mustard plaster and positively does not blister.

There is nothing like MUSTEROLE for Sore Throat, Bronchitis, Tonsillitis, Croup, Stiff Neck, Asthma, Neuralgia, Headache, Congestion, Pleurisy, Rheumatism, Lumbago, Pains and Aches of the Back, or Joints, Sprains, Sore Muscles, Bruises, Chills, Frosted Feet and Colds of the Chest (it prevents Pneumonia).

Doctors and nurses frankly recommend MUSTEROLE. It is used in large hospitals.

At your druggists in 25c and 50c jars, and a special large hospital size for \$2.50.

Accept no substitute. If your druggist cannot supply you, send 25c or 50c to the Musterole Company, Cleveland, Ohio, and we will send you a jar, postage prepaid.

George L. Moxley, Martinsburg, W. Va.: "Musterole is just fine, and is an immediate relief for inflamed throat and pain in the back. It's the best thing I have ever tried."



### MONTENEGRO AND AUSTRIA OPENLY ARE BELLIGERENT

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evitably must draw in other nations. Russia, which is strongly Slavic, is holding aloof from the consultations of the ambassadors in London. Russia took no part in the international blockade of the Montenegrin coast and is said that Russia is secretly encouraging Montenegro to defy the powers. It is feared that in the event that any individual power, especially a member of the triple alliance, should attack King Nicholas, Russia might openly come to the aid of the little kingdom.

### Would Embroil Kaiser

Such a move undoubtedly would bring Germany into the mix-up, because that nation long ago decreed that the czar should not gain a foothold on the Adriatic. What might happen then can only be conjectured.

These possibilities are being discussed by the alarmists, who say that Emperor Francis Joseph will be the Czar's paw of Europe if he proceeds alone against King Nicholas. On the other hand there is a large element of optimists who profess to believe that diplomatic negotiations will bring the difficulty to a peaceful solution.

### BOYCOTT STORY ROUSES FURSTMAN

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applicant obtains his milk and amount of milk and cream sold daily.

Manner of disposing of milk . . . . .

By whom were cows tested and date of testing . . . . .

Signed . . . . .

Dated at La Crosse, Wis. . . . .

No. of application . . . . .

### SALOON MEN ARE FOUND NOT GUILTY

James Lynch and Hugh O'Hara, proprietor and bartender of a saloon on Third and Vine streets, were found not guilty of insulting Mrs. Anna Lovag and Miss Millie Lovag by a jury in municipal court today. The women complained that the men approached them and made insulting remarks to them when they were on their way to a train late Sunday night. The men denied that they had made any such remarks to the women. Frank Withrow was attorney for the defense. The jury reached a verdict of not guilty within ten minutes.

### PURCHASE RETURNS FROM CLINTON TRIP

The steamboat Purchase docked north of the wagon bridge here at 1:45 this afternoon, arriving from a trip to Clinton, Ia. The steamer left for down river on the 23rd of April. She went to Clinton and from there brought a number of barges up to Glenn Harbor, Iowa, to be used in construction work of the Burlington railroad at that place. Captain William McCraner, in charge of the craft, has a number of contracts to make excursion trips from La Crosse during the coming summer. Among them is the Frohmann Singing society.

### WILL DISCUSS STREET OILING

Plans for oiling streets this spring and summer will be discussed at joint meeting of the streets and alleys and special street improvement committees of the common council which will be held at the city hall tonight. The meeting was called by Chairman Joseph Houska today.

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### KILLS KIDNAPPER WITH A HATCHET

Brother of Girl Seized Nearly Severs Man's Head with Single Blow

HE WAS A REJECTED SUITOR

Romance of Chicago's Little Italy Ends in Fierce Battle on the Street

**CHICAGO, April 29.**—Melodrama grasped "Little Italy" early today and in a bloody battle that followed an attempt at kidnapping by a rejected suitor, one man was killed and another is dying at a hospital.

The police are searching for Pasquello Forte, a young Italian, who with a hatchet nearly decapitated Tom Marasto, the rejected suitor, after Marasto had attempted a forced elopement with pretty Anna Forte, aged 19, No. 930 Polk street. Frank Alfano, 923 Polk street, an innocent spectator at the scene of thrills, is dying at a hospital with a bullet in his left breast.

### Had in Alley

From information gleaned by the police it appears that Marasto had a council of war with several young Italians who were his devoted companions. Early today he hid himself in an alley near the Forte home, armed with a revolver and prepared to accost Anna on her way to work and force her to marry him.

Pasquellana Forte, mother of the young girl, heard Anna scream. Pasquella, Sr., seized a revolver and rushed to the front porch. She saw Anna struggling in the arms of Marasto, while several young Italians stood by and grinned.

The mother fired several shots. None of them struck the kidnaper. But Alfano, who was passing, went down with a bullet near his heart.

### Hatchet is Weapon

Pasquella Forte, the girl's brother, who was at the breakfast table, rushed to his mother's assistance, brandishing a hatchet. He sprang at Marasto as the kidnaper turned to flee and with one blow almost severed his head from his body. Then before a crowd of excited Italians ventured forth from their doorways he fled, leaving the bloody hatchet across the breast of his victim.

Half an hour after the tragedy the police arrested Pasquella Forte. He proved to be a cousin of the murderer, bearing the same name and was released.

### FAMOUS MARES BURN

FIFTEEN NOTED THOROUGH-BRED DAMS AND THEIR FOALS KILLED WHEN STABLE BURNS

**LEXINGTON, Ky., April 29.**—Fifteen of the finest American and English bred thoroughbred mares owned by the famous James R. Keene estate, each with a colt by her side, were burned to death by a fire which destroyed the Kingston farm here. The estimated loss is \$50,000. Bloodhounds were sent to the farm and are trying to pick up the trail of suspected incendiaries. Many winners of great racing events were among the horses that perished.

### COP A BANDIT LEADER

POLICEMAN IN CHICAGO ALLEGED BY TWO THIEVES TO HAVE BEEN BRAINS OF GANG OF SEVEN

**CHICAGO, April 29.**—Charged with being the brains of a gang of seven robbers who terrorized Chicago during the winter, Policeman William I. Ohm, was to be arraigned in court today and to be confronted by two alleged members of the gang, who, according to the police made confessions implicating Ohm.

Ohm's suspension from the police force and the order putting him behind the bars in solitary confinement came at the conclusion of a dramatic scene at police headquarters. Confronted by Assistant Chief of Police Schuetler, the policeman made general denial.

Schuetler stepped forward, knife in hand. He snatched the badge from Ohm's breast, ordered him to give up his club and revolver, and with a few quick slashes cut every button from the policeman's coat.

### FORMER RESIDENT DIES IN CHICAGO

I. G. May, 82 years of age, a former resident of La Crosse, died at the home of his son in Chicago yesterday.

Mr. May resided in La Crosse from his early boyhood, at one time being in the millinery business on Main street. Three sons survive: Louis, St. Louis; Albert, Chicago, and Fred, Ashtabud, Wis.

The body is being sent here and will arrive tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock, when the funeral services will be held in the Jewish synagogue. Interment will be made in the Jewish cemetery.

### DE LACY BABY CALLED

The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James De Laey, 520 South Third street, died at its home last night, after a short illness. Death was caused by meningitis. The funeral services will be held tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock from St. Mary's church. Rev. C. Condon will officiate. Interment will be made in the Catholic cemetery.



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### NOTED ORCHESTRA TO GIVE CONCERT

Schildkret's Royal Hungarian Orchestra to Appear at Charities Chautauqua

Announcement of the addition of one more number to the program of the Associated Charities Chautauqua, to be held in La Crosse July 13 to 20, was made today. Harry N. Holbrook and A. C. Schmidt, who are arranging details, were in the city today, and they announced that Schildkret's Royal Hungarian orchestra had been secured for one day.

The orchestra is the same band of musicians brought over from Europe in 1893 by Mrs. Potter Palmer to play for the functions in Chicago at the time of the Columbian exposition. It is also the orchestra that discoursed music at the wedding of Alice Roosevelt and Nicholas Longworth in the White house. It is considered one of the best of the orchestral organizations now in the country.

Plans are being laid to make the Chautauqua arranged and supervised entirely by local persons an annual feature for the Associated Charities. The value of the scheme from a monetary standpoint lies in the fact that the profits remain in the city, and are not taken away by any lyceum course manager.

Arrangements today were made for selling the tickets. They will be distributed in blocks to various persons about the city whose names will be made public later, and can be purchased from them.

### HERMAN EYK DIES OF LONG ILLNESS

Herman Eyk, 43 years of age, died in a local hospital yesterday morning at 8 o'clock after a long illness caused by a cancer.

Mr. Eyk was born in Germany, coming to this country while a boy, and settling near La Crosse. He died in the poor farm.

The funeral services were held from the undertaking parlors of Fessler & Dahl at 2:30 this afternoon. Interment was made in the poor farm cemetery.

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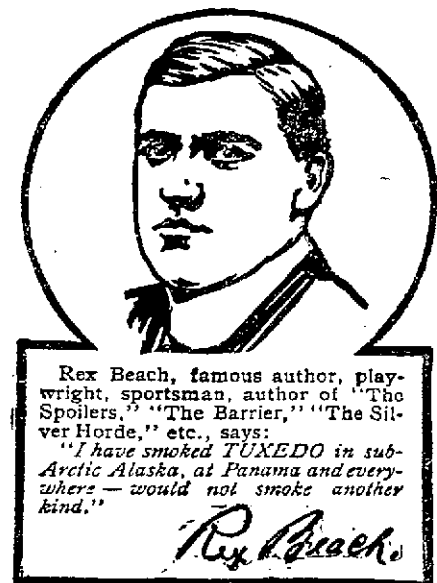
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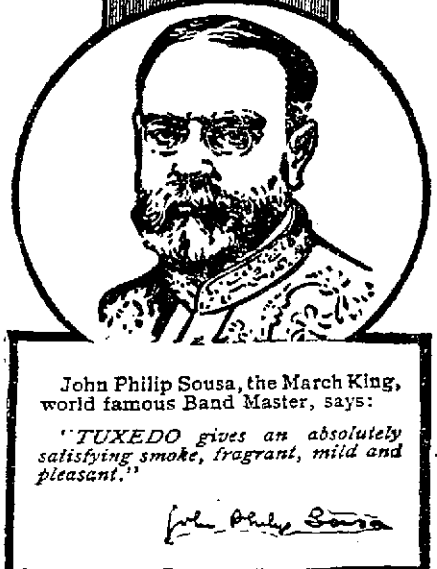
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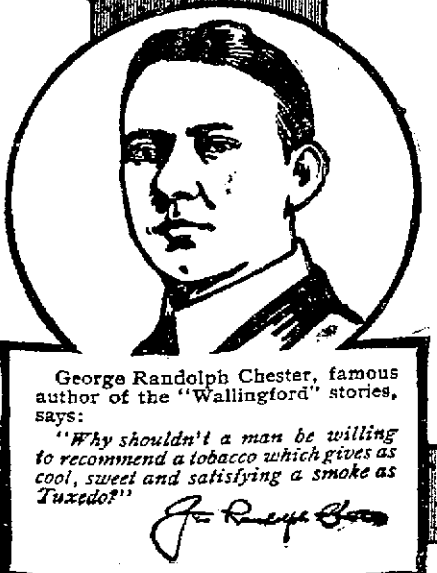
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*George Randolph Chester*



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*V. Stefansson*



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*Geo. M. Cohan*



Zane Grey, famous sportsman, explorer and writer, author of "Riders of the Purple Sage" and other well known novels, says:

"Tuxedo is an ideal camp-fire companion. It's the sportsman's best friend."

*Zane Grey*



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### HAS NEW PLAN TO CHECK SPEEDING

MINNEAPOLIS, April 29.—Judge W. W. Bardwell, in municipal court here today tried out a new plan to put a stop to auto speeding. Instead of imposing a fine or a workhouse sentence the court placed Lowell Lamoreaux, 19, on probation until December 15, with the provision that he go to the workhouse for 30 days should he be caught driving an auto before that time. Other speeders will receive like sentence.

### WOMAN DROPS DEAD CARRYING A CHILD

KENOSHA, Wis., April 29.—Hastening to prevent an encounter between her husband and another guest at the Cream City hotel here on Monday, Mrs. Herman Eberle fell dead. She was to have left on Wednesday to claim an inheritance in Germany and was busy preparing for the journey. When the men met she ran from her room, carrying her four months' old baby and fell to the floor. When her husband reached her he found that she was dead and that the infant was unhurt.

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## THE TRIBUNE'S Daily Short Story

### HIS FATHER'S CHOICE

By ELLA RANDALL PEARCE  
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Daniel Hollister, Junior was traveling leisurely across the country from San Francisco to New York, when, in Kansas City, a disquieting letter from home reached him. It was from his married sister, Celia. "Dan we're so worried about father. He's continuing his attentions to that girl we met on ship-board—you know, the one I told you about, who dances in public. She's living in the Algonquin, right around the corner, and she and father are together much of the time. Really, I think you ought to come home and break up such a foolish affair. You know how difficult father is to deal with; but he would always listen to you. He seems bewitched with this 'dall-faced girl'."

"And a public dancer," added Dan with a slight curl of his clean sensitive upper lip. "I never knew father to be that kind of chump—but he always had a weakness for pretty faces. This looks like a mess, all right. Well, I'll have to rush to the rescue!"

As quickly as the running time of the next express train for the East would allow, Daniel, Jr., arrived in New York. His first call was on his sister, who lived next door to the old Hollister home which, in its brownstone solidity, offered a dignified contrast to the ornate cream-colored facade of the modern apartment house which had sprung up beside it.

"If I'm not glad to see you!" cried Celia. "Father? Oh, he's all right—only he seems to be hypnotized by that girl. Why, yes, I suppose some would call her pretty—but her hair and eyes don't match, and she dresses peculiarly, and she has such a dangerously artless manner."

"Humph! Dancer with bleached hair; bizarre clothes, and ingenue pose," was Dan's mental tabulation. Celia rambled on until her caller decided that he had heard enough. "I'm going to drop in next door," he said. "It'll be a surprise; father doesn't know I'm here."

"Don't say you saw me first," warned Celia. "We must be very diplomatic Danny. If father should marry a girl like that—at his age!" Young Hollister felt very uneasy as he mounted the steps of his old home. Undoubtedly, his father was walking along dangerous paths, and the dignity of the family name was seriously threatened. Celia had said that she had even been refused the use of the Hollister electric coupe because Miss Pay Embree wanted it!

Mr. Hollister, senior, was not at home that evening, his son was told. Yes, he had dined at home, and gone away afterward, saying he would not return until late. Dan strolled around the Algonquin, a small hotel, the leading attraction of which was a charming little pergola supper room, where painted Italian scenes were framed between white fluted columns, and tiny lights in colored globes shone from an over-arching lattice of leaves.

Little parties from the theatres nearby had come in, and the supper room was full. Dan stood a moment in the doorway, and then made his way to the end table that was set in a vine hung alcove. In the instant that he was shaking hands with the elderly man in evening dress, and looking over his shoulder at the feminine vision in pale blue, the young man's mind was made up. He had decided how he would outwit his father. He would not be disagreeable to this strange young girl—far from it!

"Well, what a surprise! Sit down; we're just beginning. Celia told you how you might find me here, I suppose."

The elder man chuckled and sent a shy glance at his fair companion. Young Daniel's eyes following caught the swift flush that warmed the small features of Miss Pay Embree. Seated in a softly lighted alcove, Dan found himself wondering why the violence of his displeasure seemed to be so rapidly ebbing. Perhaps it was because his father was so frankly glad to see him, so genial in case in his own position of host; or perhaps it was because Miss Embree appeared so artlessly pleased to have the younger member of the Hollister family sitting there.

Dan looked critically at her every chance he got. Her hair was remarkably flaxen and her eyes strikingly dark; but the unusual combination seemed to be the work of Nature. Her gown had some little quaint touches and she wore some odd jewelry, but the effect was harmonious. Her voice was very sweet and her manners refined. Dan wondered what sort of dancing performance she gave—and where. He would be at the theatre the next night!

Somehow it was the younger, not the elder, man who placed the maroon-edged evening cap over Miss Embree's shoulder's later.

"I just have to step out to the elevator, you know," she said, with a glance over her shoulder straight into Dan's eager eyes.

Something in that glance, demure though it was, made the young man's pulse thrill. It was so appealing—he wished he could think it honest. "I'll make her like me—for father's sake!" he told himself; and his manner of saying farewell was tenderly impressive.

"Well, Danny," said the elder man, as they went homeward, "I see that you approve of my choice."

"Your choice," echoed Dan, in such a tone that his father coughed discreetly.

"Ah, I—I should say—well, Miss Embree and I have been pretty good friends. I hoped you would like her; and I should say that she has made

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## IN The WORLD OF WOMEN

The Society for the Advancement of Women is a new women's organization in Manila, of which Mrs. C. S. Lobingier, formerly of Nebraska, has been chosen president. The club is studying problems that directly affect women in the Philippines, particularly with reference to reducing infant mortality by establishing better sanitary conditions.

The Dutch Bund for Woman Suffrage has published a manifesto protesting against the action of the British militant suffragettes.

A Bureau of Research among foreigners is conducted by the Civic Club of Philadelphia as an aid to the study of the immigrant problem. Statistics are compiled, information disseminated and assistance given in many cases. The club is working to develop high ideals in citizenship among the foreigners.

### SPARTA OFFICIALS CONSULT BRADISH

SPARTA, Wis., April 29.—The story that the plans of the street committee would require the bonding of the city for \$25,000 for street improvements, was made under a misapprehension. The estimated total cost of the improvements planned is approximately \$25,000 and the city would be bonded for about one-third of that amount, the remaining two-thirds, it is expected, will be paid by abutting property owners. For that amount; the remaining two-thirds would exceed one-third of the total, for the reason that it is planned to improve some of the streets without assessing abutting property owners. Engineer Bradish of La Crosse was in the city the last of last week and the street committee expects his estimate as to the costs of their proposed improvements soon.

Bad Week for "Cullud Folks" Last week seems to have been a bad week for colored men in our city. Early in the week Herbert Sanford, part Indian and part negro, former Carlisle student and at present a sign painter, spoke insultingly and offensively to "Slim," a long, lean, lank bus driver, at the Milwaukee depot. Slim knocked the dark complexioned artist down twice and was then induced to cease his pugilistic efforts by the pleas of the knoekee.

A search warrant was issued on Thursday evening and the residence of Sheridan Waldron, a colored barber, was searched for a bicycle that had turned up missing. Waldron took offense at this and seemed to feel that Roy McComber, who had lost a bicycle, was the person to blame. Waldron walked into the white man's barber shop Friday morning and became quite abusive. McComber resented this and upon Waldron calling McComber a vile name, McComber promptly floored the colored man and gave him a severe beating. The police were called and both men were arrested and fined \$5.00 and costs, the white man paying his fine and Waldron going to jail. Waldron's fine was later paid by a friend. The fist encounter of the bus driver and the painter did not attract the attention of the police. It is interesting to note that in each fight the white man licked, and it is possible that Sparta is developing a white hope or two.

### Investigating Pool Rooms

City Attorney Z. S. Rice is directing the police in an investigation of the complaint to the effect that minors are permitted to play in pool and billiard halls of the city. Friday afternoon a bicycle belonging to Harvey Hoffman was missing and the boy reported it to the police. Upon questioning Hoffman, who is a minor, it developed that he was in a pool hall of the city at the time the wheel was taken. It is nearly two years since the authorities have found it necessary to give any attention to the manner in which billiard halls are conducted and during that time keepers may have grown somewhat careless. An Oak Street hall alley and shooting gallery is said to be at least as great an offender as the billiard halls. There is an ordinance which forbids keepers of billiard alleys or pool rooms allowing minors to play. Another complaint that is being investigated in connection with this one, is that boys are being given cigarette papers at some of these places, which is contrary to law. Some merchants complain that boys demand cigarette papers and upon being refused, refuse to take tobacco but go elsewhere and buy tobacco because cigarette papers are given away with each purchase. A new law which has just become effective forbids the sale of tobacco to any boy under sixteen years of age. This law is being persistently violated in the city and the police have plans on foot to bring this violation to an abrupt stop. The city attorney and the police are bound that the laws shall be enforced.

### LEADER OF SOCIETY ADMITS BLACKMAIL

MILWAUKEE, Wis., April 29.—Mrs. Maude E. Stewart, wife of a wealthy lumberman of Antigo, Wis., in the United States court on Monday pleaded guilty before Judge F. A. Geiger to a charge of using the mails with intent to blackmail Mrs. E. H. Van Ostrand, a prominent society woman of Antigo and was fined \$250 and costs.

Testimony tended to show that Mrs. Stewart wrote a letter to Mrs. Van Ostrand declaring that if the plaintiff did not hand over \$100 to Mrs. Stewart certain episodes connected with a trip made by Mrs. Van Ostrand to a convention of the Daughters of the American Revolution at Washington, would be aired which would have a tendency to oust Mrs. Van Ostrand from the position that she held in the society in Antigo.



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### BLOW WITH BALL KILLS BOY PLAYER

PIPESTONE, Minn., April 29.—While playing baseball with companions near the school he attended, Clyde Portexter, 12 years old, who lived with his parents near Chandler, received injuries that caused his death a few hours afterward. He was running the bases when the ball, which was thrown to third base, struck him in the head, causing concussion of the brain.

### TWIN CITY FLOUR FOR ARCTIC TRIP

ST. PAUL, Minn., April 29.—Nearly thirty tons of Minnesota flour will be taken by Captain Rold Amundsen, discoverer of the south pole, on his expedition to the Arctic regions next year. Captain Amundsen, who was in St. Paul Monday, will negotiate with one of the Twin City flour mills for enough flour to last his party for seven years.

While a young man may admire a kittenish girl, he should remember that kittens grow up.

## A Staple Medicine for All Families

From Infancy to Old Age a Reliable Family Laxative is Most Needed—Try This One

It is inconceivable in this day of general intelligence that any family would be without a simple remedy for the minor ills of life, for often by giving such a remedy in time a serious disease can be frustrated and a life saved.

For example, if at the first sign of a cold a simple laxative-remedy like Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin were given at the beginning of a serious lung affection or of a typhoid fever might be avoided. And also in headaches, nervousness, etc., a small dose of this remedy would relieve the congestion and replace distress with comfort.

Mothers give it to tiny infants and little children, and grown people take it with equally good effect. Thousands of good American homes are never without it, among them the home of Dr. Geo. T. Hull, Prop. Hull Drug Co., Prue, Okla. Dr. Hull has for a number of years recommended Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin in his practice and writes that "for stomach and bowel disorders, worms in children and a general laxative-remedy it has no equal."

Syrup Pepsin saves the health of the family, and it saves doctor's bills. It is a guaranteed cure for any form of stomach, liver and bowel trouble, constipation, indigestion, biliousness, gas on the stomach, headaches, drowsiness after eating, etc. Have no hesitancy about giving it to any member of the family, however,



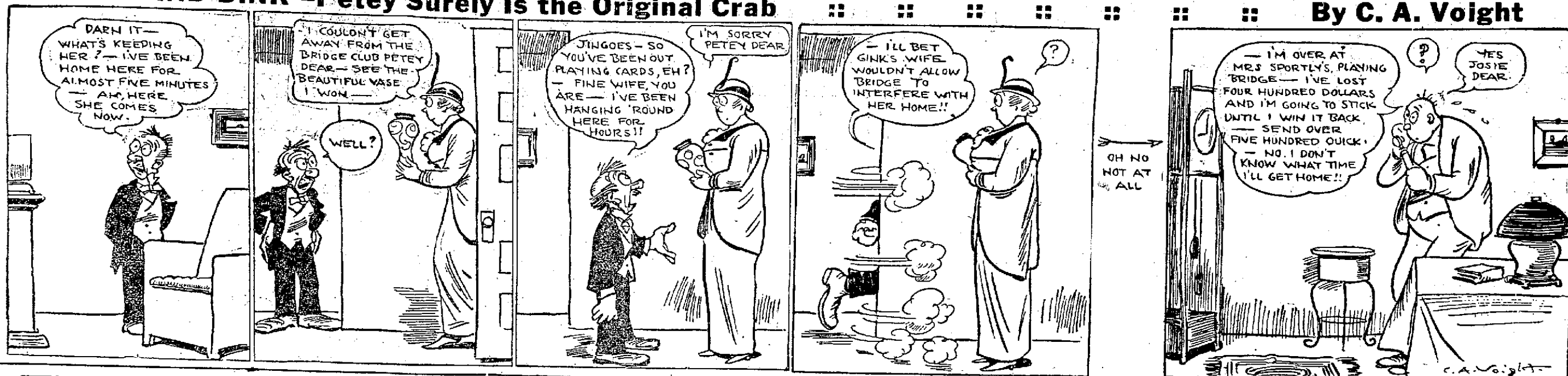
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young or old, for it contains nothing injurious to the youngest person. A bottle can be obtained at any nearby drug store for fifty cents or one dollar. The latter size is more economical and is bought by those who have already convinced themselves of its merits. Syrup Pepsin users learn to discard pills, salts, cathartics and purgatives generally as they are too great a shock to any average system.

If no member of your family has ever used Syrup Pepsin and you would like to make a personal trial of it before buying it in the regular way of a druggist, send your address—a postal will do—to Dr. W. B. Caldwell, 417 Washington St., Monticello, Ill., and a free sample bottle will be mailed you.



## GINK AND DINK—Petey Surely Is the Original Crab



## The Cost Of Your Want Advertising May Be A Few Dimes Or A Few Dollars. Result You Seek Worth To You?

## HELP WANTED—MALE

WANTED—For U. S. army, able-bodied unmarried men, between ages of 18 and 35; citizens of United States, or have first papers; of good character and temperate habits, who can speak, read and write the English language; good pay, food, lodging, clothing and medical attendance free. For information, apply at Recruiting Stations at 226 Main street, La Crosse, Wis., or Mankato, Austin, Fairbault, Rochester, Owatonna, Minn. 4 1 6 30

MEN WANTED to handle package freight during season of navigation. Wages 35c and 40c per hour. Apply in person after April 15th to W. J. Connors, 85 Reed St., Milwaukee, Wis. 4 2 1 t

WANTED—Experienced screw machine and soldering hands. Hans Motor Equipment Co., cor. Sumner and Hagar Sts. 4 2 t

WANTED—Stripper, boy or girl. Must be over 16 years. Inquire 326 N. 4th or 1117 Pine. 4 18 t

LABORERS WANTED at pumping station, Myrick park. La Crosse Construction Co. 4 19 t

20 MEN to join barber class; tools furnished, plenty of practice; position waiting; easy terms; enroll at once, at half the winter price. Victor Barber College, 124 Hennepin Ave., Minneapolis, Minn. 4 21 5 20

WANTED—Painters, G. W. Scott, 119 North Eleventh. 4 23 5 2

WANTED—Experienced presser. New Process Cleaners, 112 North Fifth. 4 23 t

WANTED—Bright young man to travel. Experience unnecessary. Rapid promotion and exceptionally good opportunity and rapid promotion to right man. Write to Charles Silver, Galesville, Wis. 4 25 30

YOUNG MAN, BE A BARBER—I teach you quickly, cheaply, thoroughly and furnish tools. I give you actual shop work and you keep half the receipts. Write me for catalogue. A. B. Moler, Pres. Moler College, Milwaukee, Wis. 4 26 5 2

WANTED—Porter at the Stoddard hotel. 4 28 30

WANTED—Two boys. Apply to Supt. La Crosse Steel Roofing & Corrugating Co. 4 28 29

WANTED—Few middle-aged men of good appearance to travel, covering following towns: Sparta, Tomah, New Lisbon, Kilbourn, Baraboo, Reedsburg and Viroqua. All summer's job. Address, stating salary expected, Glen Brothers, Rochester, N. Y. 47th year. 4 28 5 3

BOY WANTED—Bright, strong and industrious, over 16 years. Peter Newburg, La Crosse's Largest Clothing House. 4 29 5 1

ELECTRICIANS WANTED—Call between 5 and 6 p. m. Pacific Electric Co. 4 29 5 1

WANTED—Boy at Erickson's Bakery. 4 29 5 1

WANTED—Farmhand. Inquire 120 Main, upstairs. 4 29 5 5

WANTED—Delivery boy at Erickson's Meat Market, 537 Main St. 4 29 t

HELP WANTED—Female

WANTED—Stitchers and cutters. Staats Pennant Co. New phone 1252-M. 4 28 30

WANTED—Good German girl for office work. Inquire 38 Tribune office. 4 28 29

WANTED—Girl to wash dishes. Wilson house, corner Sixth and Cass. 4 24 t

WANTED—A girl to do cooking. Apply Mrs. W. A. Thompson, 1141 Main. 4 23 t

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Small family. 1409 Madison. New phone 975-M. 4 26 29

WANTED—Competent girl for general housework; no washing; good wages. 1304 Main street. 4 21 t

WANTED—Girl to work for room and board while attending school. Apply City Hall, Sixth street entrance. 4 29 30

WANTED—Dishwasher at the Northwestern hotel. 4 29 5 2

WANTED—Girl for general housework. 416 South Sixth. 4 29 t

WANTED—Second cook at the Nora house. Good wages. 4 29 5 3

WANTED—Marker and sorter. Modern Steam Laundry. 4 26 29

WANTED—A nurse at 326 North Seventh. 4 26 29

WANTED—Sewing and apprentice girls at 105 South Sixth. 4 26 29

## WANTED—Competent girl; good wages; no washings. 314 South Fifteenth. 4 26 t

WANTED—Girls at the Reliable Steam Laundry, 117-119 North Sixth street. 4 23 29

WANTED—Competent cook and second maid. Apply to Mrs. Henry Gund, 1509 King street. 4 26 t

WANTED—Girls at the Germania hotel. 4 21 t

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Apply at 1508 Main street. 4 28 t

## FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Farm, Houston county, twelve miles from La Crosse, 264 acres, 100 under plow. Address Farmer, care Tribune. 4 25 5 17

FOR SALE—Piano, 706 State St. 23 29

FOR SALE—16 foot strip skiff, cheap. Inquire 500 Mill street. 4 24 30

FOR SALE—Side saddle and bridle, excellent condition. Cost \$15, will take \$4. Call new phone 1137-C, or address "Snap," care Tribune. 4 17 t

FOR SALE—Extra fine hand made library table. 1524 Winnebago. 4 26 29

FOR SALE—Launch, 23 foot hull, 4 h. p. Call 1066-M new phone. 4 26 5 7

FOR SALE—Cheap, good gas stove and full size bed. 1302 South Fifth street. 4 25 30

FOR SALE—Leather go-cart, 1524 Winnebago. 4 25 29

THE LAND OF Opportunity for La Crosse County people is not away off under the Rainbow, but closer at home, in Northern Wisconsin. The profit in farming is largely in the increase of value of the farm. You buy when cheap and you hold till it becomes valuable. Lands are cheap in Oneida County, but are steadily increasing in price. At the same time these lands are as fertile as the best La Crosse County lands. There is no trouble to prove it. The argument is not used to crowd over you but to induce you to buy some of our lands. The fare to Rhinelander is about \$4.25 each way. Why not slip up here and see what we have to offer. Write or wire to Crosby Land Co., Rhinelander, Wis. 4 28 5 10

AUTOMOBILES—Good used cars at bargain prices: 1. 2 pass. Maxwell, \$225; 1. 5 pass. Buick, \$240; 1. 3 pass. Earl, \$275; 1. 5 pass. Packard, \$350; 1. 2 pass. Ford, \$300; 1. 5 pass. E. M. F., \$600. Above cars guaranteed to be in good running order. Will demonstrate. Elsen and Phillips, 110 S. 2nd St. 4 28 5 1

FOR SALE—Launch, 22 ft. 5 h. p. Gray motor. Overhauled. At a bargain. 110 S. 2nd St. Phones 61-A, 5613. 4 28 30

FOR SALE—Team of horses and three incubators. Louis Peterson, La Crosse, Minn. 4 28 30

FOR SALE—Gasoline range in good condition. 1923 Main street. 4 28 5 3

FOR SALE—Saloon and residence and 1 1/2 acres of land, one-half mile west of Bangor. Jacob Loomis, Bangor, Wis. 4 29 t

FOR SALE—Cheap, oil stove, books, book-case, rugs, pictures. Jefferson hotel. 4 29 5 1

FOR SALE—4 cylinder 1910 Maxwell auto, fully equipped. Price \$375 if taken at once. Address E. E. care of Tribune. 4 29 29

FOR SALE—Cheap, No. 7 Remington typewriter, two color ribbon, at \$25; good as new. 610 Mississippi street. 28 t

FOR SALE—\$5,500 will buy group of small houses, paying good rate of interest. New phone 802-C. 4 28 30

FOR SALE—10 h. p. 2-cycle gasoline engine, coils, carburetor, etc. Price \$75. 812 South Sixth. New phone 436-C. 4 28 5 3

FOR SALE—Large modern rooming house. 517 South Third. 4 24 5 1

FOR SALE—Two small chewing gum and candy cases, cheap. Bodega Annex. 4 17 t

FOR SALE—23 ft. launch with 6 h. p. Detroit engine, worth \$200, will take \$120. W. Bell, 618 South Fifth street. New phone 1312-R. 4 28 29

FOR SALE—3 H. P. boiler, shaft and pulleys. 2135 Market. New phone 480-M. 3 20 t

FOR SALE—Big bargain, mahogany Kimball piano, now \$125.00; when new \$300. Carl B. Noelke. 4 24 29

FOR SALE—Ten room house, 223 Division, cheap. 4 8 t

MISCELLANEOUS

HIGHEST PRICES paid for second-hand furniture, stoves, carpets, etc. 221 Pearl street. New phone 555-R; old 5672. 4 24 5 2

FOR SALE—78 acre valley farm, half mile from Mississippi river; about 45 acres under cultivation and seeded down, balance bluff pasture and timber. 100 bearing fruit trees, some small fruit. Six room house, basement barn, hen houses, corn crib. Well adapted to fruit growing or dairying. Half mile from school and churches. Address W. S. Widmeyer, Drosbach, Minn. 4 8 tues thursat

FOR SALE—Large barn, Rambler auto, and gas stove, all in good condition. Cheap if taken at once. Inquire A. J. Eberhart, 191 both phones. 4 21 t

FOR SALE—Beautiful cement lawn vases, \$2 up to \$5. Refruff, 18th and Madison streets, New phone 435-R. 4 21 5 30

FOR SALE—16 foot launch hull, good for 1 1/2 to 3 h. p. motor; can also be used for portable motor. Call at 629 North Ninth street evenings or Sunday. 4 15 t

FOR SALE—Three rocking chairs and two small tables. 1019 South Sixth street. 4 26 29

FOR SALE—Gas range, \$5.00. 7616 Avon street. 4 26 30

FOR SALE—Modern eight room house, fine location. Address T. Tribune. 4 24 5 5

WANTED—Buyers to help me sell out my stock of wall paper. Everything goes below cost. Carl B. Noelke. 4 23 29

FOR SALE—Good sound work horse. Inquire at City Scales. 4 23 5 6

FOR SALE—Side saddle and bridle, excellent condition. Cost \$15, will take \$4. Call new phone 1137-C, or address "Snap," care Tribune. 4 17 t

FOR SALE—Cheap, a good 5 room cottage, 1459 Redfield. 4 9 5 13

CENTURY BICYCLE with mud guards and coaster, \$25. Weis Book Store, 509 Main street. 4 12 5 11

## FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Rooms at 122 North Third street. 3 21 4 20

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms. 617 Cass. 4 21 t

FOR RENT—Small modern flat. 618 Cass. 4 29 t

FOR RENT—Strictly modern house, 1222 Ferry street. 4 29 5 5

FOR RENT—Five room brick cottage, 1003 South Fifth. Apply 1009 South Fifth. 4 29 5 5

FOR RENT—Modern furnished room at 269 South Fifth street. 4 29 5 1

FOR RENT—Four rooms. Inquire 935 Market. 4 19 t

STORIES FOR RENT—324-326 Jay street, known as the Home restaurant. Inquire 427 Main street. 4 17 t

FOR RENT—After May 1, three furnished rooms for light housekeeping. 714 Cass street. 4 25 t

FOR RENT—Modern flat. Call at 119 South Tenth. 4 2 t

FOR RENT—Suite of rooms, ground floor. 214 South Seventh. 4 28 5 2

FOR RENT—Seven room modern house, hot water heat. Inquire 429 South Ninth. 4 28 t

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms at reduced prices. Second floor, Tribune building. 4 28 t

FOR RENT—Five rooms down stairs. Gas, light and water. New phone 951-A. 4 28 t

FOR RENT—House at 1225 South 5th. Inquire at Heffle's saloon. 4 25 29

FOR RENT—Modern furnished room. 807 Pine St. 4 25 29

FOR RENT—About May 1, modern eight room house, 621 Cass street. Call 726-M or 194-C. 4 24 t

FOR RENT—Furnished room. Mrs. Walker, 317 So. 8th. 3 31 t

FOR RENT—Office rooms, 129 South Fourth street. Fred Dittman. 4 7 t

FOR RENT—House at 1507 Adams street. Inquire 1506 Johnson St. 4 9 t

PAINTING and steel roofing. Estimates given. Phone 9661 old. 4 29 5 2

WANTED—Second-hand detachable engine for row boat. Address J. F. S., Tribune. 4 28 t

POSITION WANTED—First class stenographer, bookkeeper, typewriter. Moderate salary. Address X, Tribune. 4 29 5 3

WANTED—A responsible party to store a new upright piano for its use during the summer months. Prefer a family who might consider purchasing the piano sometime in the future, if instrument pleases and terms are made easy. Address R. J., care of Tribune. 4 24 5 1

WANTED—A bargain on inside city property, at from \$3,000 to \$5,000. Address 26, Tribune. 4 23 29

TRY QUINN'S New Restaurant, 122 North Third street. Regular dinner 20c. 3 21 4 20

LACE CURTAINS done up. New phone 1267-M. 4 8 5 7

BLACK MINORCAS, Rocks and Leghorns, white; eggs dollar for fifteen. Prize winners. Monaca Dunn, 1235 Madison street, new phone 1572-A. 4 22 5 5

FOR SALE—White Wyandotte eggs from prize winning stock. 2350 Mormon Coulee road. New phone 1554-C 2r. 4 25 5 8

FOR SALE—Barred Rock eggs, 75c for 13. Inquire 1400 Berlin St. 4 24 30

FOR SALE—Eggs from pure De Graff strain S. C. R. I. Reds, \$3 per 15. These birds are high in quality and great winter layers. Only a limited number to spare, so order early and get some of the best blood lines in America. Satisfaction guaranteed. Mr. C. L. Curry, West Prairie, Wis. 4 26 5 5

EGGS FOR HATCHING—\$1.50 for 15; \$6.00 per hundred. Single Comb Rhode Island Red, Tompkins strain. Address Badger Red Farm, old phone 9261, E. Grayburn, La Crosse, Wis. 4 26 5 5

FOR SALE—Silver Grey Dorkings eggs for hatching from blue ribbon winners at St. Paul and Minnesota State fair and others. \$2.00 for 12. Mr. Roth, 1301 Vine. New phone 880-M. 4 15 t

FOR SALE—Thoroughbred White Wyandotte eggs. New phone 1085 Black. 4 23 29

LOST

LOST—Pearl wishbone pin, engraving on back. Edward. Return to 225 South Sixth. 4 26 29

LOST—Ladies' plain gold band ring, between Third and Seventh on Main street. Finder please return to Tribune office for reward. 4 29 30

LOST—Scotch collie dog. Return to 1594 South Tenth. Reward. 4 28 30

Business Opportunities

FOR SALE—First class pool and billiard hall, with confectionery and fountain in connection. Will sacrifice. Address B. O., care of Tribune. 4 28 t

Vacuum Cleaning

LET US DO your carpet and rug cleaning with our auto vacuum cleaner. Our guarantee, if not satisfied, you pay nothing. For prices call 818-R new phone. J. E. Reeves, 418 Caledonia street. 4 5 t

Cut Rate Shipping

CUT RATES on household goods to Pacific coast and other points. Superior service at reduced rates. The Boyd Transfer Co., Minneapolis, Minn. 4 9 t

FUNERAL DIRECTORS

MILLER BROS., undertakers and embalmers, 320 Main. Phones 285. Open day and night.

Public Stenography

Norma Mueller, stenographer, notary. Bat. Bank Bldg. Phone 523-A.

FINANCIAL

FOURTH BUILDING ASSOCIATION loans on real estate. Monthly payments; numerous plans. 4 26 t

MONEY TO LOAN on furniture, plans and diamonds. La Crosse Loan Co., 320 Main street, upstairs. 9 8 t

MONEY LOANED on furniture; no publicity. J. W. Smith, 311 Pearl. 5 22 t

Real Estate

FOR RENT. 5 room flat, Third and King streets. \$15.00

4 room flat, 309 King street, \$15.00

7 room flat, city heated, 511 Main street. \$30.00

FOR SALE. Fine residence with large lot, on Madison, between 14th and 15th streets.

Several lots in Hingen's addition, between 12th and 13th streets.

3 lots with 6 houses on Milwaukee street, cheap.

6 acres of good land with good buildings, in city limits; suitable for truck and chicken farm.

C. F. KLEIN & SON

General Insurance, Bonds, Loans, Notary Public.

Room 12, Majestic Building La Crosse, Wis.

TEAM AND DRIVER WANTED

to haul coke with two ton wagon. Wagon to be furnished by us. Submit proposal in writing, on tonnage basis. La Crosse Gas and Electric Co. 4 29 29

DAILY MARKETS

Wholesale Fruit

(Quoted by John C. Burns.) Bananas, per bunch. \$2.00

Lemons, Cal. per box. \$8.00

Lemons, Messina, 30 size, box 6.00

Sweet potatoes, bushel. 2.00

Celery, per bunch. .75

Strawberries, 24 qt. case. 4.50

Potatoes, Irish, per bu. .30c

Onions, per bu. .12c

Cabbage, per bbl. .12c

Oranges, Florida, box. .47c

Grape fruit, 35-40 box. .40c

Grape fruit, 55-65-30 box. .47c

Western Apples—

Fancy Jonathan, box. .15c

Wagners, box. .15c

Wine Saps, box. .15c

Spitzenburgs, box. .15c

Ben Beauty, box. .15c

Ben Davis, box. .11c

Willow Twigs. .42c

(By Langdon & Boyd Packing Co.)

Hogs. .38.00 to \$3.30

Steers. .38.00 to \$3.30

Cows. .26.00 to \$3.00

Heifers. .33.00 to \$3.50

Spring lambs. .38.00 to \$3.50

Sheep. .40.00 to \$4.50

Poultry

Chickens. .12 to 13c

Spring chickens. .12 to 13c

Turkeys. .14c

Ducks. .11c

Geese, pound. .10c

Provisions

Lard, per pound. .13 to 13 1/2c



## DRESS GOODS

### Wool Serges

Elegant 65c new shepherd check wool serges, 44 inches wide in small, medium and large checks. Very stylish for blouse suits. Regular 65c grades, Wednesday ..... **50c**

### Foulard Silks

Popular foulard silks in navy blue and black only. The best quality you can buy for service and appearance. Regular \$1 quality, Wednesday at ..... **63c**

### Nurse Striped Gingham

Choice very best standard make and quality nurse stripe gingham, regular 15c quality, priced choice per yard ..... **10c**

### White Swisses

Season's newest 30 inch wide neat embroidered dot, scroll or figured genuine imported Swisses, Wednesday an opportunity to save approximately 1/2 when we offer choice 50c, 65c and 75c quality at per yard. .... **35c**

### Fancy Foulards

"Cheney" Bros. celebrated shower-proof fancy silk foulards, well known for their rich appearance and unequalled wearing qualities. Our entire 1913 lines. Regular \$1.25 grades, Wednesday per yard ..... **75c**

"Their Yesterdays"  
Harold Bell Wright's newest novel. Reg. \$1.50 values, special  
**89c**

### 50c Ferris Good Sense Waists 25c

Finest quality muslin, beautifully trimmed in lace and embroidery. Reinforced at waist line with two rows of buttons for undergarments. All sizes, 2 to 12 years. Genuine 50c values. Wednesday at ..... **25c**

"Crones" Stationary  
Genuine "Crones" pure linen, boxed stationery, 25 envelopes and paper, 50c value, box  
**35c**

## WOMEN'S SPRING SUITS, COATS AND DRESSES, RANGING IN VALUE To \$27.50, at \$19.99

Choice of 15 Wool and Silk Dresses, various new styles in French serges, diagonals, eponge mixtures, messalines and tafetas. Values to \$27.50, at—

**\$19.99**

Large special assortment fancy and plain tailored Suits, Bulgarian, Norfolk or fancy vest effects, all sizes, new spring models, ranging in value to \$27.50, at—

**\$19.99**

Choice 30 fine new Coats, in various styles, eponge, Bedford cords, serges, diagonals, mixtures, etc. Peau de cygne or messaline lined, sizes 14 to 40, special. **\$19.99**



## SPORT NEWS

### BASEBALL SEASON TO OPEN SUNDAY

Doubleheader Planned to Get New City League Officially Under Way

### LEAGUE IS NEAR DISRUPTION

Compromise Settles Weight Case which Threatens to Kill Infant Organization

The baseball season of the new City league will open next Sunday afternoon at league park with a double header to give it a flying start. This was the decision made at a meeting of the board of directors and officers of the league held in the La Crosse club yesterday afternoon.

The first game Sunday will open at 2 o'clock. It will be the two north side teams—Summits and Nelsons—pitted against each other. The second game will be the Athletics and Cloisters.

**Weight Case Problem**  
Dispute over the Weight case threatened for a time yesterday afternoon to disrupt the league and put organized ball in La Crosse into the realm of "might have been." The Cloisters, represented by Director Nic Bartl, insisted that they be allowed to play Charles Weight, crack shortstop. The by-laws bar Charlie because he finished last season with a club in the Nebraska state league, and is therefore a professional.

All the other directors were for standing by the by-laws, and when they named their position Bartl delivered an ultimatum.

"Either we get Weight or we don't play in the league," said the Cloisters' representative.

It looked for a time like the new league was to be stillborn, but under the pacification of John A. El-Hott and John Miller, expert soothers of practical experience with scrapping directorates, the war was finally settled by arbitration.

**May Not Get Charlie**

The Cloisters agreed to do without Weight at first, until enough games have been played to let the team's chances develop. If it looks strong enough to make a good race, they will do without Charlie. If weakness turns up in the infield, Weight may be allowed a place by the rest of the directors.

Various other matters of business were taken up at the meeting and decided, including the appointment of a schedule committee.

### STANDING OF THE CLUBS

National League			
	Won	Lost	Pct.
Chicago	10	4	.714
New York	7	3	.700
Philadelphia	5	3	.625
Pittsburg	8	6	.571
Brooklyn	6	5	.545
St. Louis	7	7	.500
Boston	2	9	.182
Cincinnati	2	10	.167

American League			
	Won	Lost	Pct.
Philadelphia	9	2	.818
Cleveland	10	4	.714
Washington	7	3	.700
Chicago	8	8	.500
St. Louis	7	9	.438
Boston	5	8	.385
Detroit	5	9	.357
New York	2	10	.167

American Association			
	Won	Lost	Pct.
Milwaukee	9	5	.643
Indianapolis	8	5	.615
Columbus	7	6	.538
Kansas City	8	7	.533
Louisville	8	8	.500
Minneapolis	6	8	.429
Toledo	5	8	.385
St. Paul	5	9	.357

### GAMES YESTERDAY

National League  
Chicago 8; Pittsburg 6.  
St. Louis 7; Cincinnati 5.  
No other games played on account of wet grounds.

American League  
No games played on account of rain.

American Association  
Milwaukee- Toledo—Wet grounds.  
Minneapolis - Louisville — Wet grounds.  
Kansas City-Indianapolis—Rain.  
St. Paul-Columbus—Rain.

### GAMES TODAY

National League  
Cincinnati at Chicago.  
Philadelphia at Boston.  
New York at Brooklyn.

American League  
Chicago at Detroit.  
Boston at New York.  
Washington at Philadelphia.

American Association  
Milwaukee at Toledo.  
Kansas City at Indianapolis.  
Minneapolis at Louisville.  
St. Paul at Columbus.

### BROCK LICKS O'KEEFE

AKRON, Ohio, April 29.—Matt Brock of Cleveland today finds himself in line for a chance at the featherweight crown, so ably worn by his fellow townsman, Johnny Kilbane, as the result of his victory last night over Eddie O'Keefe, crack Philadelphia scrapper. Brock scored a knockout in the fourth round of a scheduled twelve round bout.

Carload of CHASE TRUCKS arrived—Expert from the factory here to give demonstration. Call us up—Both Phones. F. J. NOETZEL, 1427 Mississippi St.

### CLYMER RESCUES GAME FOR CUBS

Two-bagger in the Eighth Saves Game Already Won and Lost Once

CHICAGO, April 29.—A two base hit by Otis Clymer off Babe Adams in the eighth insured the defeat of the Pirates, 8 to 5, after Toney had beaten them once and tossed the game away later. With Cheney back at his old job of tinkering up a doubtful combat in the ninth round, the Pirates collapsed. There were tallies galore in the eighth. After holding the Pirates to five scattered hits, Toney blew up and they lammed him for six cracks and three runs resulted. Hendrix, after passing three men in the Cubs' half was yanked and Adams went in. He was nipped for three hits and five runs came over. Score: R H E  
Pittsburg . . . 0020000030—5 11 3  
Chicago . . . 1009002005—8 10 2

Batteries: Hendrix, Adams and Kelly; Toney, Cheney and Archer.

St. Louis 7; Cincinnati 5

ST. LOUIS, Mo., April 29.—After the Reds had taken a three run lead in the first inning by slamming Sallee, St. Louis came back in their half and walloped Powell and Works for four runs. After that the Cardinals never were headed and won 7 to 5. Sallee tightened after the opening inning and thereafter had the Reds at his mercy. He also made a record at bat, getting three hits in four times up. Score: R H E  
Cincinnati . . . 300010001—5 11 2  
St. Louis . . . 410000002—7 11 2

Batteries: Powell, Smith, Works, Packard and Clarke; Sallee, Wingo and McLean.

### DILLON HAS SHADE OVER BOB MOHA

MILWAUKEE, Wis., April 29.—"Come back, Mavourneen," sang the promoters' chorus when the boosters of the fight game in Milwaukee gathered at the station today to wish Jack Dillon Godspeed. The Indianapolis boy fought like a champion in his bout with Bob Moha and had a shade in every round, battling the cave man about the ring at will. Dillon may be matched with Moha again or with Billy Papke within a few weeks.

### MRS. BAT AT RINGSIDE

BOSTON, April 29.—With Mrs. "Bat" rooting at the ringside, Bat Nelson will continue his "come back" act at the opening of the Atlas Athletic club here tonight, with Gilbert Gallant, a hard hitting local boy, as the obstacle. Local fans predict a setback for the pride of Hedgewick.

### COBB RE-APPEARS

DETROIT, Mich., April 29.—Ty Cobb's 1913 debut will be made here today against the Chicago White Sox.

### FEATHER TITLE AT STAKE IN CONTEST

Kilbane and Dundee Both Confident Over Big Battle This Evening

LOS ANGELES, Cal., April 29.—What many expect to be the hardest fight of Featherweight Champion Johnny Kilbane's career will be staged at Uncle Tom McCarey's Vernon arena tonight when the Cleveland title holder clashes with Johnny Dundee in a twenty round battle. With both lads down to weight and in perfect condition, a terrific slam-bang bout is expected. Neither has done any real training work for two days, having finished that Sunday. Since then the boys have done enough work to keep at weight.

Dundee is supremely confident, and insists that he expects to be featherweight champion of the world before midnight. Not only that but he declares he will win by a knockout.

Zest was added to the affair today when Promoter McCarey promised the two boys that he would match the winner for a battle with Mexican Joe Rivers at Vernon on July 4.

### INJUNCTION MAY HOLD BACK LEAGUE

AURORA, Ill., April 29.—An injunction suit to prevent the Wisconsin-Illinois league from opening its playing season tomorrow is the novel method Aurora club directors may employ to force settlement of its claims against the league. The league is charged with breaking its agreement with Aurora after the local club was voted out, in not protecting players of the local club. President Flannigan of the Aurora club charges that the league failed to pay him \$1,000 for Aurora's franchise, after agreeing to do so. Flannigan had negotiations pending for the sale of five Aurora players, but before he could close the deal he was notified by Secretary Farrell of the national commission that all five men were free agents.

### Watching The Scoreboard

Now look who's at the top of the National heap.

Three games dropped to Brooklyn, two ties and bad weather have put a crimp in the flying start the Giant rooters expected.

In the meantime Evers has been whipping up his Cubs and with three straight from the Pirates, there you are.

St. Louis and Cincinnati each got eleven hits and drew two errors apiece. Tinker used up four pitchers, but could not stop the Cardinals and dropped another game.

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